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## SEVERAL WITNESSES IN BEER INQUIRY SAID TO HAVE DISAPPEARED

Some Persons Whose Testimony Is Desired Can't Be Found, Dyott Says—Liquor Charges Against Them Had Been Dismissed, but May Be Reinstated.

### BENCH WARRANTS TO BE ISSUED

Federal Grand Jury Begins Investigation Into Charges of "Protection" for Sale of Brewery Product.

### EX-PROHIBITION CHIEF WHO GOES TO PRISON



WILLIAM H. ANDERSON.

### ANDERSON BEGINS SING SING TERM; TO WIELD PICK

Ex-Head of Antisaloon League of New York to Serve One to Two Years for Forgery.

By the Associated Press.  
OSKOSH, N. Y., March 25.—The gates of Sing Sing Prison this afternoon clang behind William H. Anderson, former superintendent of the Antisaloon League of New York, sentenced to from one to two years for third-degree forgery.

**Anderson surrenders to Chicago**  
Those under arrest at Chicago are George Pitts, said to have been chauffeur formerly for Festus J. Wade, president of the trust company, and Lawson Reed. They and the fifth man, who is being sought, are involved in the travelers' checks and savings accounts plots, in statements of Lane and James Reed. These statements agree substantially, except that Lane accused "Uncle Jim" of instigating the scheme and his uncle accused him.

**Fraud on Savings Accounts**  
Anderson's story about the savings accounts fraud follows:

"I'm Reed originated that. He worked at night, cleaning the savings department. He found some blank savings books and told me he had a scheme, and sent for the others. He would get a blank book and a blank card for the account record and copy the record of deposits and withdrawals of a likely-looking account. Then Pitts would demand \$15,000 protection money to Charles S. Prather of Advance, State Pure Food and Drug Commissioner, and that his plan had been permitted unopposed to make and sell real beer during the period of those payments. The confession was published exclusively in the Post-Dispatch March 9. Prather gave his resignation to Gov. Hyde at Jefferson City the same day, but denied any guilty knowledge."

The confession of Griesedieck followed his arrest in the raid made at the brewery Feb. 21 by Gus O. Nations, Marshal chief of federal forces, prohibition enforcement division, an hour or so before members of the intelligence unit of the Internal Revenue Department, brought here to investigate the enforcement of the prohibition law, had intended to seize the place. Nations later declared that his brother, State Labor Commissioner Heber Nations, was one of two State officials being investigated by the intelligence officers.

Judge Faris, in directing the grand jury yesterday to make the inquiry, said he knew of the matter only from reading the newspapers. He said it had been generally agreed broadly that there was a conspiracy to protect violators of the Volstead act, and he commented that such a conspiracy would probably be carried on by working in the dark, and that for this reason only circumstantial evidence might be available. He called especial attention to the gravity of the crimes

### NEGRO FORGERS GOT \$12,000 FROM BANK YEAR AGO

Conspiracy Involving Savings Accounts Admitted by Two of Five Men, Four of Whom Are Held.

### ONE TELLS OF PLAN TO GET \$500,000

Statements Made to Police After Arrests in Connection With Check Theft at Mercantile Trust Co.

Five negroes, who connived a month ago to cash between \$18,000 and \$20,000 worth of travelers' checks which one of them had stolen from the Mercantile Trust Co., and succeeding in cashing about \$65,000 worth in Chicago, also obtained about \$12,000 a year ago in bold conspiracy involving savings accounts of this institution.

This development became public early today when two of the negroes, who were arrested here Saturday, made statements to the police and trust company officers. Two of the plotters are under arrest at Chicago and one is being sought. They are all relatives and those here have been employed at the trust company, while the three others formerly worked there. As has been told, Detective-Sergeant Jim Cooper, a negro, trapped them.

The other company is also investigating the recent disappearance of \$2,000 from a teller's cage. It is understood that \$500 was removed in some manner, and that later \$2,100 was also removed.

#### Affaged Plot to Get \$500,000.

James' Reed of 4235 Finney avenue, who has been a night janitor at the trust company, took occasion to add glamor to his statement by telling of an alleged plot by his nephew, a fellow prisoner, Everett Lane, of 1469 West Belleview, in which two negroes were secreted near the bank vaults last August, hoping to seize "at least \$500,000" as tellers returned their funds to the vaults in the afternoon.

Lane, who had worked at the bank about seven years, being a trusted messenger, indignantly denied this charge. His comfort, bank officers also ridiculed it as a fantasy of Lane's mind. Lane also accused his nephew of having demands away with a \$1,000 bond a woman customer had left on a desk, and Lane denied this and bank officers, adding that a woman had reported loss of a bond, said they did not know where it was lost.

#### Fraud Not Made Public.

The list of witnesses summoned to the grand jury's inquiry has not been made public, and while the names of some of the prospective witnesses are known, the question has been raised whether publication of the names of witnesses is a Federal grand jury inquiry is proper.

Judge Faris is considering this point.

The grand jury investigation is based in part on a confession made to Government agents by Raymond E. Griesedieck, vice-president and general manager of Griesedieck Bros. Brewery to the effect that he had paid about \$15,000 protection money to Charles S. Prather of Advance, State Pure Food and Drug Commissioner, and that his plan had been permitted unopposed to make and sell real beer during the period of those payments.

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#### At Hard Manual Labor.

Anderson was convicted just January of third degree forgery for ordering a falsification of the league's books to conceal his receipt of \$4,400 split on commissions of one of the organization's fund solicitors.

The end of the dry leader's long fight for acquittal came with a decision by Supreme Court Justice Wagner denying a motion for a certificate of reasonable doubt.

Anderson probably will be put to work immediately with a pick and shovel. Warden Lewis R. Lawes said yesterday. After a short period of hard manual labor which is the lot of all newcomers at the prison, the ex-prohibition chief will be assigned to clerical work.

#### Statement by Anderson.

In reply to a question by Sheriff Dooling, Anderson said he had a statement to make and gave the official a typewritten paper, reading:

"A soldier who volunteers to enter the opposition lines and blow up the enemy's fortifications runs supreme risk."

"I blew up the liquor fortifications of all America by getting seized."

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### SUPREME COURT STOOD 4 TO 3 IN MEININGER CASE

Correction in Minutes of Decision Announced Saturday Reveals Closeness of the Vote.

### BLOCKED FURTHER PROSECUTION NOW

Judges White and D. E. Blair Concurred in Conclusion of J. T. Blair Trials Should Proceed.

### SENATE ACTS TO HAVE SON-IN-LAW OF A. B. FALL IMPEACHED

Resolution by Walsh Adopted Unanimously in Case of C. C. Chase, Customs Collector, as Result of His Refusal to Testify in Oil Inquiry.

### \$100,000 LOAN STORY INVOLVED

Cleveland Man Had Testified Chase Tried to Get Him to Say That It Was He Who Lent the Money to Cabinet Officer.



### PRESIDENT APPOINTS COMMISSION TO STUDY CONSERVING OF OIL SUPPLY

By the Associated Press.

ATHENS, March 25.—The National Assembly today adopted a resolution in favor of the overthrow of the Glucksburg dynasty and the establishment of a Greek republic.

A resolution introduced by the Premier proclaimed abolition of the Glucksburg dynasty, banishment of the members of the royal family, compulsory sale of their property, and establishment of a republic, provided the last named proposal is confirmed at the forthcoming plebiscite.

It is expected that the Regent Admiral Constantine shall continue acting Governor of Greece pending the framing of a republican constitution. In introducing the motion, Premier Papasastasiou said that the establishment of a republic on a firm basis was the principal object of his government.

**Vote Follows a Te Deum.**

The vote was taken after the celebration of a Te Deum commemorating the anniversary of the reign of King Constantine.

The minutes, as corrected, show that Judge White and Judge David E. Blair concurred in the opinion written by Judge Walker, except Judge White not sitting, and Judge J. T. Blair, who dissented.

The minutes, as corrected, show that Judge White and Judge David E. Blair concurred in the dissenting opinion of Judge J. T. Blair, who held the preliminary writ should be dissolved. Neither Judge White nor Judge David E. Blair were in the conference of the court in banc when the Meininger writ was read upon, it was said, but later read the two opinions and concurred in the dissenting one.

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**Capital Is En Fete.**

Tonight the city is en fete, with streets and buildings brilliantly illuminated.

Before the meeting of the assembly the Cabinet decree granted amnesty. This measure includes Gen. Menelaos, former commander in chief of the Smyrna front, who headed the unsuccessful revolutionary movement in Greece since 1919.

The Parliament House was filled to its capacity. There was no discordant note in the proceedings, which was regarded as natural after yesterday's practically unanimous vote in favor of a republic.

In the course of the voting, which was let loose inside the house and the speaker was crowned with a wreath of laurel.

**State Faces Difficulty.**

The State is confronted with a serious difficulty in keeping the remaining indictments pending.

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### RAIN TONIGHT AND CLOUDY TOMORROW

#### THE TEMPERATURES.

1 a. m.	46	9 a. m.	43
2 a. m.	40	10 a. m.	42
3 a. m.	39	12 p. m.	41
4 a. m.	39	1 p. m.	51
5 a. m.	43	2 p. m.	50
6 a. m.	44	3 p. m.	50

Highest yesterday, 52, at 2 p. m.

Lowest, 38, at 7 a. m.

**Official Forecast for St. Louis and vicinity:** Rain this afternoon and tonight; tomorrow, cloudy but much change in temperature.

**Missouri:** Fair in extreme south portion; unsettled in northeast portion tonight.

somewhat colder in west portion tomorrow; g. n. e. winds.

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**Illinois:** Rain tonight; tomorrow, cloudy, pre-

ceded by rain in northeast portion.

**Wisconsin:** Rainy in northeast portion.

**Michigan:** Rainy in northwest portion.

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**Pennsylvania:** Rainy in northwest portion.

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# Prompt Indictment of Oil Magnate Sinclair for Defiance of Senate Committee Is Expected

**District Grand Jury to Which Contempt Action Was Certified by The Senate Is Now in Session**

**Walsh Stingingly Rebukes Spencer, Who Backs His 'Grave Doubt' With Quotations from Sinclair's Attorney.**

By the Associated Press.  
WASHINGTON, March 25.—District Attorney Gordon today requested special Government counsel in the oil cases to co-operate with him in Harry F. Sinclair's contempt case and later he conferred with them and Chairman Ladd, and Senator Walsh at the Capitol.

By PAUL Y. ANDERSON,  
Special Washington Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The processes of justice are likely to be rapid in the case of the United States Senate against Harry F. Sinclair. The first step toward bringing the committee to book for his refusal to testify further before the Oil Investigating Committee was taken yesterday afternoon, when the Senate, with but one dissenting voice, voted to certify the case to the District Attorney of the District of Columbia, for presentation to the grand jury.

As the grand jury is in session now, action is expected promptly. As Senator Walsh explained to the writer yesterday, there is no contest over the facts in the case, and the course of procedure is perfectly clear. There will be an indictment and the matter will go before the court for adjudication on the law point involved. The facts, none of which are in dispute, will be stipulated, and the attorneys will submit briefs, and perhaps argue the case. Sinclair contending that the Senate has no power to compel him to testify and attorneys for the Government contending that it does.

If the Government's contention is upheld by the court, Sinclair will be found guilty, for his defiance of the Senate is admitted.

In the event of an indictment and conviction Sinclair would be liable to a fine of not more than \$1000 nor less than \$100 and imprisonment "in a common jail" for not less than one month nor more than 12 months.

**The Only Dissenting Vote.**

The only dissenting vote yesterday was that cast by Senator Davis Elkins, Republican of West Virginia. Senator Elkins, it was disclosed during the inquiry, had dealt extensively in Sinclair stocks. Before and after that disclosure he had expressed his want of sympathy with the investigation. He has announced his intention of retiring from the Senate at the end of his present term.

Senator Walsh, ordinarily so cold and scholarly, delivered an impassioned address upon the floor of the Senate yesterday denouncing punishment for Sinclair. During the course of it he paid, in biting language, his respects to Senator Spencer of Missouri, who had expressed his "grave doubt" of the right of the Senate to inquire into "a private citizen's private business, private affairs and private papers."

"Effort has been made here to create the impression that there is grave doubt," said Walsh, stressing the phrase with scathing emphasis. "On the Senate's authority, I suppose into a private of affairs. I suppose this is done with a view to suggesting some leniency in this case if it is finally decided that the Senate has that power."

"I cannot feel, after reading all the decisions upon the subject, that there is any doubt whatever of the Senate's power in this matter. I think that that it involves the very life of the country's existence. Any suggestions of leniency on the ground that there was a 'grave doubt' will not be well founded. The witness took all the chances of the extreme penalty of the law when he refused to testify."

**Hopes for Extreme Penalty.**

"And, for my part," he thundered, "I shall hope to see him, if it shall be the judgment of the court that he is guilty of contempt, visited with the full rigor of the law. I say, moreover, that if it be possible to consider each of his several refusals as a separate monia."

**WILL BE MEXICO'S AMBASSADOR TO U. S.**



ALBERTO J. PANI.

**PANI REPORTED APPOINTED AS MEXICAN AMBASSADOR TO U. S.**

Minister of Foreign Affairs Said to Have Been Selected by Ober for Washington Post.

By the Associated Press.

GALVESTON, Tex., March 25.—Alberto J. Pani, Minister of Foreign Affairs in the Cabinet of President Obregon, has been appointed Ambassador to the United States, according to advices received here today by Consul L. Magana from Mexico City.

**TICKETS FOR CONSISTORY IN ST. PETER'S EXHAUSTED**

Cardinals Hayes and Mundelein Receive Numerous Clerics, Who Offer Congratulations.

By the Associated Press.

ROME, March 25.—Cardinal Hayes of New York and Cardinal Mundelein of Chicago, made princes of the church at yesterday's praemissa, were busily today receiving callers.

Cardinals and prelates, as well as members of the Roman aristocracy, drove to the Propaganda Palace, where Cardinal Mundelein is staying, and to the American College, where Cardinal Hayes is staying, to convey their good wishes.

The supply of tickets for the public consistory in St. Peter's Thursday has been exhausted. All day crowds stormed the papal major domo's offices for them.

At the American College, tickets have been handed out lavishly and thousands of Americans are in position to secure seats entitling them to witness the ceremonies. The Vatican secretariat of state was busy this morning receiving diplomats requesting tickets for their countrymen.

The Church of San Martín in Villa Late has been decided upon as the titular church of Cardinal Hayes of New York. The small church of San Martín was mentioned as early as the seventh century, but in its present form dates from the seventeenth. It has an oratory in which St. Paul and St. Luke are said to have taught.

**APPROVE U. S. PROPOSAL**

Austria and Hungary Favor Agreement for Claims Commissions.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—The force of general prohibition agents for Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas will be increased from 23 to 30, William D. Ross, Commissioner, announced today. In the last six months, Mississ. this district has jumped from sixteen to eight in number of cases and convictions.

U. C. V. Leader Dies.

By the Associated Press.

DALLAS, Tex., March 25.—Lieutenant-General E. W. Kirkpatrick, department commander of states west of the Mississippi of the United Confederate Veterans, died last night at Rincon, N. M., according to advices received here today. Death was due to pneumonia.

The arrangement will follow closely the line of that on which the American and German mixed claims commission now is acting on cases between those two Governments and their nationals. The total amount of claims involved between the American, Austrian and Hungarian Governments, however, is relatively small.

**PERSHING SALMS FROM FRANCE.**

PARIS, March 25.—Gen. John J. Pershing, who has been writing a book about the war, sailed for New York today on the liner George Washington.

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## Senate Acts to Impeach Son-in-Law of A. B. Fall

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by getting Mr. McKinney to testify that he did so."

Bursum said that "as he understood it, Chase was acting merely as a messenger for Fall."

A formal motion that the Senate proceed to immediate consideration of the resolution then was made by Walsh and the debate was renewed.

**Could Not Retract.**

After unanimous consent for consideration of the resolution had been refused by Bursum, and after Walsh had made a formal motion to take the measure up, Bursum offered to withdraw his objection. The chair ruled, however, that he could not do so in view of the steps which had been taken.

New Mexico Senator attempted to interrupt Senator Heflin of Alabama, the latter rose to open the debate.

"It is too late now," Heflin said. "I'm going to discuss you."

Heflin said there had been far too much of procrastination, dallying and delay, evidently for the purpose of giving time for the manufacture of evidence destruction of papers, or loss of interest.

"Are we safe to protect crooks?" asked Heflin. "I'm amazed that any objection would be made to this action by a Senator on the floor."

Asserting that Chase had asked a citizen "to tell a lie to help protect a man bribed in office—in the Presidents Cabinet," he demanded to know why President Coolidge did not call for his resignation.

"More than a week has passed since Mr. McKinley died," Senator Heflin said, "and yet no official of the Government has acted and Chase has gone his way."

**BANKER LENT FALL \$100,000 BUT NOT TO BUY RANCH.**

M. D. Thatcher, president of the First National Bank of Pueblo, Colo., was questioned by the Senate Oil Committee today about financial transactions between Albert B. Fall, ex-Secretary of the Interior, and Heflin.

The witness said that Fall had been a customer of the bank since 1913 or 1914.

"Did the bank make any loan to him during 1921?" asked Senator Walsh. "No," said the witness.

"Or 1922?" "No," said the witness.

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Asked whether Fall got any loans except those in the name of the cattle company, the witness replied: "Nothing during the period you speak of."

"Was there any other?" asked

## MELLON DENIES CHARGE HE ASKED FOR TAX FAVORS

"Never Interfered in Any Way With Internal Revenue Bureau in Any Tax Matter," He Says.

## REQUESTS INQUIRY AND OFFERS AID

**Letter Purporting to Show That Secretary Intervened in Behalf of His Firm Presented to Committee.**

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Secretary of the Senate special committee investigating the oil cases returned to Washington from the West yesterday, confirmed with President Coolidge, and announced that the former Interior Secretary had acquired \$32,000 for the purchase of ranch property from a source yet undisclosed.

R. H. Sardeson of Minneapolis, an engineer for the Minnesota state utility commission, was summoned by the committee today.

After Thatcher was questioned Walsh announced that the check-up showed that the former Interior Secretary had acquired \$32,000 for the purchase of ranch property from a source yet undisclosed.

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## JAPAN WILLING TO CUT NAVAL ARMAMENTS FURTHER

Minister Feeds Nation Must Maintain Fleet Able to Meet Possible Combination in Orient.

TOKIO, March 25.—Navy Minister Murakami approves "in principle" American suggestions for further elimination of naval armaments, including clauses of warships not restricted by the Washington armament treaty, according to a high naval officer.

It was explained, however, that the Minister felt Japan must hold to the principle of her navy policy, maintaining sufficient strength to defend the Empire against any possible hostile combination in Far Eastern waters.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, March 25.—Authorized spokesman at the State Department said today that no American "suggestion for further elimination of naval armaments" had been made to Japan beyond the action taken by the House of Representatives in the naval appropriation bill. In this measure the House inserted a provision suggesting a further armaments conference but the administration has indicated that it does not consider the time for such a step opportune.

It was emphatically stated that the Washington Government had not recently made any suggestion to any foreign Government regarding a proposal for further naval reductions. The question has not been discussed even informally by Secretary Hughes with representatives for foreign governments.

There were some things on the agenda of the Washington conference which this Government desired taken up at that time, but which could not be considered. If there should be an opportunity to have these questions discussed between representatives of the various governments, President Coolidge will be glad to present them.

## "THIRD PARTY" CALLS MEETING

Farm-Labor Delegates Expected to Name Presidential Candidate.

ST. PAUL, Minn., March 25.—Formal call for a national convention of the Farm-Labor party, to be held here June 17, was issued yesterday by a committee representing the various interests of the party.

Delegates from 12 to 20 states are expected to attend the convention, at which, it was said, they may be expected to select a third-party candidate for the presidency and vice presidency.



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## ACCOUNTS FOUND TO BE REGULAR

John Dehn, Cashier and General Manager, Shot and Killed Himself—Execution Followed.

Directors of the Monroe County Bank and Trust Co., of Coopersburg, Ill., 14 miles southeast of Louis, the cashier and general manager of which shot and killed himself Saturday, have decided to pay up \$50,000 of \$55,000 worth of paper that was carried on the bank's books as an asset, and have agreed to replace it with negotiable bonds acceptable to the Illinois Banking Department.

There were some things on the agenda of the Washington conference which this Government desired taken up at that time, but which could not be considered. If there should be an opportunity to have these questions discussed between representatives of the various governments, President Coolidge will be glad to present them.

## TWO YEARS FOR MOTORIST WHO FLED AFTER KILLING

Fred Koester Sentenced for Manslaughter and Felonious Flight—Arrest Resulted From Conversation.

Fred Koester, 21 years old, of 4629 Michigan avenue, an automobile driver, who killed a man with his car and fled from the scene last November, has been sentenced to two years in the workhouse for two years in the workhouse for his crime of guilty.

He was accused of manslaughter and feloniously leaving the scene of an accident. Upon recommendation of the Circuit Attorney, Judge Ittner sentenced him to one year on each count. The penalty is one of the heaviest fixed by St. Louis courts for such offenses.

**How Arrest Came About.**

Apprehension of Koester last Friday, four months after the death of James M. Russell, 62 years old, of 2752 Armand place, his victim, was largely accidental. He drove the automobile and a garage owned by Rutherford and then changed bodies, converting the truck into a speedster. Then he threatened Rutherford and Krekemeyer if they told his friends confessed to police.

Koester, driving, hit Russell as he crossed the street and would not stop, although Rutherford and Krekemeyer urged him to do so.

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After Koester's arrest he admitted the killing and explained that he had been afraid to stop at the time of the accident. Although his offenses are punishable by death in the penitentiary, his youth weighed with the Circuit Attorney's office. A term in the Municipal Reformatory was at first suggested, but it is understood Judge Ittner decided to prosecute them as vigorously as any of the others, it is said.

Klan officials admitted today that members were named in the affidavits, but declared ignorance of the number.

**Warrants Being Served.**

Eight members of the East St. Louis Ku Klux Klan were caught by paid investigators in the campaign to clean up liquor violations in the East Side, klanmen said today. They are named in affidavits prepared by the investigators, who were hired by the St. Clair County Law Enforcement League, of which the Klan is the moving spirit, and the affidavits are among 350 which are now being issued at Danville.

The question of the liquor law violators was discussed Sunday at the midnight meeting of the East St. Louis Klan when the results of the campaign were outlined to the organization, and the members voted to prosecute them as vigorously as any of the others, it is said.

Russell had been run down by the automobile No. 4 on Jefferson avenue between Ann avenue and Accocca street. Witnesses described the machine as a Ford with box body painted blue, lettered on the sides in white. Its driver and occupant had sped away, leaving

the book and the blank card, and the fifth man signed the customer's name on the card. Then Jim Reed put the substitute card in place of the right one the next night and the day afterwards the fifth man went to the bank with a withdrawal check and got the money. The teller would find the signature on the check agreed with the one in the records.

"I would know if any teller or anyone else seemed suspicious, but one did. Let me Reed act as adviser, and sometimes went along to the bank with the fifth man. Jim Reed would put the original card back in the records the next night. The five of us divided the money. We couldn't have gotten \$40,000 in a week, like Jim Reed says we planned. I have no idea how much we did get. I lost all I got, gambling and buying clothes, and I haven't a nickel."

**Teller Was Dismissed.**

James Reed's signed confession avowed that Lane manipulated the records and asserts that Lane, Lawson Reed and Pitts "cleaned up" \$12,000 that way. Both prisoners declared that two or three tellers lost their jobs because of this scheme, though they were not to blame. Detective Sergeant Cooper said that George W. Wilson, vice president of the trust company, told him that two men and a woman teller had been dismissed on this account, but Wilson told the Post-Dispatch today that only one teller had been dismissed, because he was inefficient in letting the plot escape his notice.

**In Hands of Enemy.**

"I am in a fair analogy a prisoner of war in the hands of the enemy. In this moral warfare, however, while I am helpless, muzzled and unable to defend my good name, every effort is being made to blacken my character.

"But it would rather have accomplished this much for humanity by such errors of judgment with their present cost to me as a result of doing in those early days—desperately, the legal and honest—though strenuous things necessary to success, than to have a record of blunders but equally barren of achievement.

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out New York votes in Congress send the eighteenth amendment to the states for their ratification and by bringing about ratification by New York.

"To my took risks, that justice and safety standards of the light of hindsight were clearly violated on my part even though the Anti-Saloon League received all the benefits of every aspect of all transactions, and it is understood Judge Ittner decided to prosecute them when the time comes.

**Cyclone** Issues Statement.

Dr. E. F. Killeen, exalted cyclops of the East Side Klan, made positive denial yesterday that the Klan is in any way affiliated with the "Department of Constabulary," organized recently under an old law of 1887, which authorized it as a civilian organization to combat horse thieves.

Most of its members are

black men and two others, Maj. Goodson and two others.

Maj. Goodson was tried by a general court martial; found guilty and his punishment fixed at discharge. Gov. Hyde commuted the sentence to a reprimand. Maj. Goodson resigned after it was administered.

The two other officers have not been tried, and it is not now expected they will be.

**BLIND BROTHERS STARVE WHEN SISTER WHO FEED THEM DIES**

Bodies of Those Found in Home by Boy Who Was Looking for Junk.

**SUPREME COURT STOOD 4 TO 3 IN MEININGER CASE**

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disposition of the appeal, due to a provision of the law which nullifies the indictments if the State fails to get them to trial after the State has taken continuances at three terms of court.

However, additional light has been furnished by legal authorities here, who believe the building deserves credit, and are able to be quoted on the law.

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**Travelers' Checks a Windfall.**

"The travelers' checks were a windfall," Lane said. "Jim Reed gave some keys on top of a cage and opened up a bunch of them. He told me at my home next day he had \$18,000 or \$20,000 worth. I said, 'Jim, you're going to get caught; you're riding pretty; don't monkey with the checks.' He said his bartender told him it was easy.

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**Prohibition the Real Issue.**

"But if I serve this sentence and then win that appeal I have been cruelly wronged without redress.

The law gives me the right of appeal to prevent injustice, but refusal to release me on bail pending appeal robs me of most of the possible benefit of my appeal to be freed.

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**No Loss to Company.**

Vice President Wilson of the trust company said the scheme resulted in no loss to the company or customers, and that bonding companies had made good the \$12,000 obtained in the savings accounts scheme. He said only three or four savings accounts were involved.

James Reed's confession declares Lawson bought a house at 4639 State street, Chicago, out of his portion of the \$12,000; that Lane was recently increased to \$125 a month by the trust company.

**K.K.K. LIQUOR TRAP CATCHES EIGHT OF ITS OWN MEMBERS**

**TALESMAN WHO WANDERED OFF SPENDS NIGHT IN JAIL**

Pascal Galmich spent last night in jail, although prospective jurors do not, as a rule, spend nights in jail.

He was ordered to Circuit Judge Ittner's court with a panel of 150 talesmen yesterday. Judge Ittner had more material than he needed, so he had the bailiff send 50 of the panel to Circuit Judge Hamilton.

Arrived before Judge Hamilton, Galmich told the Judge he is

not among those designated to leave Judge Ittner's courtroom, he is

along with the 50.

**LIEUT.-COL. DEITSCH NEW 138TH HEAD**

Elected Colonel to Succeed Col. C. S. Thornton, Who Resigned.

**Lieutenant-Colonel A. E. Deitsch, regular army instructor attached to the 138th Infantry, Missouri National Guard, was elected Colonel at a meeting of company officers last night at the Armory, Grand boulevard and Market street. He succeeds Charles S. Thornton, who resigned in January, when transferred to the Pacific Coast by the commercial firm with which he is connected.**

**MAJOR LAWRENCE C. KINGSLAND, former commander of the First Battalion, was elected Lieutenant-Colonel, a position which has been vacant for an extended period. Capt. James M. Moore of D Company was selected to succeed Maj. Kingsland and Capt. Louis M. Means of M Company, Fayette, was elected Major of the Third Battalion. Means succeeds Maj. Burr S. Goodman.**

**COL. DEITSCH IS 48 YEARS OLD AND RESIDES AT 5359 Gates Avenue.**

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**CHARGES AGAINST  
AUTHOR-POLICEMAN**

Man Says H. Elbert Jones Broke Jaw Over Attention to Mutual Acquaintance.

Patrolman H. Elbert Jones of the Fourth District, who wrote "A Review of Famous Crimes Solved by St. Louis Policemen," is under investigation by Inspector Vassey on complaint of Frank Graber of 1525 Blidell street.

The complaining witness asserts that Patrolman Jones assaulted him and broke his jaw a week ago today at Sixteenth and Carr streets because he (Graber) showed too much attention to a mutual acquaintance.

Graber also asserts that Patrolman Jones is pushing the sale of his book at the expense of police duty.

Shortly before the assault occurred Gruber said he chanced to walk with Jones to a disorderly house in search of a suspect against whom he had a charge to make. They did not find the person sought, but did find a man and woman. Instead of arresting them, Gruber told Inspector Vassey, Jones sold the two man police circus tickets and then arranged to sell him a copy of his book.

An X-ray of Gruber's jaw is being prepared as evidence, and Inspector Vassey indicated he might prefer charges against Jones.

**\$2,500,000,000 DIFFERENCE  
IN BONUS COST ESTIMATES**

**Smoot Cites Figures of Government  
Actuary, Green Uses Those of  
Veterans' Bureau.**

WASHINGTON, March 24.—Members of Congress were confronted today with two sets of estimates, differing by more than \$2,500,000,000, on the cost of the soldier bonus bill passed by the House.

Chairman Smoot of the Senate Finance Committee made public estimates prepared by Joseph McCoy, government actuary, that the bill would cost the Government \$4,558,750,687. Chairman Green of the House Ways and Means Committee, who had said the bill would cost \$2,119,000,000 on the basis of estimates of Veterans' Bureau actuaries, characterized the Treasury estimate as "absurd."

The two estimates differed principally in the figures based on length of service. Smoot said the estimates of McCoy were figured on the basis assumed by the House. In figuring its estimates "except that the real average service of those entitled to receive a bonus is used."

McCoy placed the average length of service at 288 days and the average amount of adjusted compensation due a veteran on the basis of \$1 a day for home service and \$1.25 a day for overseas service at \$598,324. This calculation was based on the assumption that the services of those who were enlisted for more than 218 days was 58 per cent overseas. The Veterans' Bureau estimate placed the average amount of adjusted compensation due at \$323.

Green said this difference was due to a basic error in the Treasury estimate. "Assuming, therefore," Green declared, "that one-half of the veterans served the maximum time overseas, and such is not the case, and that every one of the veterans is entitled to the maximum amount of adjusted service credit, the average would then be only \$582.50, against the \$598,324 estimated by the Treasury."

**CHANGES OF VENUE FOR TWO  
HELD FOR KIMMEL MURDER**

Trial of John Rau Set for April 14  
and That of John Welmer  
for April 21.

Changes of venue were taken by John Rau and John Weisner, charged with first degree murder in the slaying of Robert L. Kimmel in an attempted holdup in Chain of Rocks Park, Feb. 15, when the case came before Circuit Judge Itiner yesterday.

Judge Hamilton, to whom the cases were sent, made a mandatory setting of April 14 in the Rau case and of April 21 for Weisner's trial, after continuances were granted because new attorneys for the men declared they had only recently been retained. The attorneys are Ernest F. O'Keeffe, former prosecuting attorney, for Rau, and Lawrence McDaniel for Weisner.

Kimmel was shot six times when he resisted the holdup attempt. Miss Melba Hill, who was with him in his automobile, was wounded in the mouth. Rau and Welmer have confessed to the slaying. A third man, John Gardner, had admitted driving the others to the scene. His case, on a murder charge, has not yet come up.

**Harding Declines Hungarian Post.**

By the Associated Press.  
PARIS, March 25.—W. P. G. Harding of Boston, Governor of the Federal Reserve Bank in Boston, left Paris today to visit Premier Bethen in Budapest for a conference on the League's reconstruction scheme for reconstruction of Hungary. He will collect information to enable him to assist the scheme when he returns to America. He issued a statement today explaining his reasons for declining the position of controller of Hungarian finances, saying his physicians had prevented him from accepting the League post. "It is to my very great regret," he added, "as the position is one I should have regarded as an honor to accept."

**SHIP ON REEF OFF KEY WEST  
Tugs Await High Tide to Help  
Float President Monroe.**

was to be made to float her officers of the Dollar Steamship Line were informed. When floated, the President Monroe will proceed to Cuba.

Although the sea was calm, no effort to take the passengers off or to float the vessel was made last night, because it was felt there was no danger, the company learned.

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(Untrimmed Hat Section—Third Floor.)

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A very new fabric for dinner and dance frocks; designs in beautiful color blendings, on white grounds.

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Novelty stripes, fancy check and plaid effects, very smart for sports wear, and very durable. 27 inches wide.

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Smart for Spring dresses and suits, also for sports wear, golfing, etc. 54 inches wide.

Novelty Velour, \$3.98 Yard  
Exceptionally fine quality all-wool Velour, in beautiful colorings, showing checks and fancy plaid effects. Fashionable for suits, dresses and skirts.

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An exceptional quality, for suits, wraps and dresses; sponged and shrunk, ready for the needle; navy blue only. 54 inches wide.

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Beautiful camel's-hair Coatings, the smartest fabric for Spring coats and wraps; shown in tans, grays and darker combinations. 50 and 54 inches wide.

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This fashionable fabric is ideal for gowns, dresses and tailoring purposes; offered in your favorite Spring colors. 54 inches wide.

7-Piece Water Sets at \$1.00  
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## MELLON INCOME RATES RESTORED IN REVENUE BILL

Senate Committee, 8 to 7, Votes to Substitute the Original Schedule for Longworth Compromise.

### DEMOCRATS PLAN COUNTER-PROPOSAL:

Committee Reduces Maximum of \$20,000 for 25 Per Cent Slash on Earned Incomes to \$10,000.

By the Associated Press  
WASHINGTON, March 24.—The income tax rates proposed by Senator Mellon are again in the revenue bill.

Proceeding with unexpected speed in its consideration of the bill last night, the Senate Finance Committee launched into the income section and by a vote of 8 to 7 substituted the Mellon rate schedule for the Longworth compromise adopted by the House.

Democrats of the committee, who have been working on a substitute for the Longworth rates, were not ready to offer a counter proposal and voted solidly against the Mellon rates. Senator Jones (Dem.) of New Mexico, announced later, however, that they would forward their proposed substitute either in committee or on the floor.

Chairman Smoot said a motion to reopen the income schedule for committee action would be decided by the committee. Since eight of the 10 Republicans of the committee voted to restore the Mellon rates, an attempt to reopen the question in committee would depend on the votes of Senators McCormick, Illinois, and La Follette. Wisconsin, Republicans, who were absent and were not represented by proxy in last night's vote.

**Six Vote by Proxy.**  
Four Republicans and five Democrats were present at the committee meeting. The votes of Senators Reed, Missouri; and Gerry, Rhode Island, the absent Democrats, were cast by proxy against the Mellon rates. The votes of Senators Watson, Indiana; Ernst, Kentucky; McLean, Connecticut; and Elkins, West Virginia, absent Republicans, were cast in the same manner in favor of the Treasury rates.

With a decision reached on this section, the main controversial subject—favorable, the committee was given an opportunity to center its work now on the miscellaneous tax schedules, with prospects of making a report to the Senate within two weeks.

The Mellon rates provide for a maximum surtax of 25 per cent on incomes in excess of \$100,000 and normal rates of 3 per cent on incomes below \$4000 and 6 per cent above that amount. The Longworth rates called for a maximum surtax of 37 1/2 per cent, against 30 per cent in the present law, and normal rates of 2 1/2 per cent on incomes under \$4000, 5 per cent on incomes between \$4000 and \$30,000, and 6 per cent above that.

#### Reduction on Earned Incomes.

The Treasury rate schedule, advanced last fall before the opening of Congress, was adopted by the House Ways and Means Committee on a strict party vote, but was not supported by a large number of Republicans when the bill was taken up on the floor. The Democrats were able to substitute a plan proposed by Representative Garner (Dem.) of Texas, providing for a maximum surtax of 44 1/2 per cent and lower normal taxes than proposed. Later, however, all of the Republicans in the House voted for the Longworth compromise.

Little indication has been given of the stand the Republicans in the Senate will take on the rate contest. The Democrats who have been working on a substitute rate schedule held a long meeting yesterday but failed to reach a decision.

Prior to the taking up of the rate schedule last night, the committee approved with some modifications the provision for a 25 per cent reduction on earned incomes. The maximum of \$20,000 allowed by the House on which such reduction could be made was cut down by the committee to \$10,000.

#### Diabetes Cure Checking Disease.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Insulin, the cure for diabetes discovered by Dr. F. G. Banister of Toronto, already is checking the death rate caused by the disease, according to figures made public today by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., which has nearly 15,000,000 industrial policy holders of the company. The decline in the diabetes death rate for 1922 was 6 per cent, as compared with an increase of 25 per cent during the three preceding years.

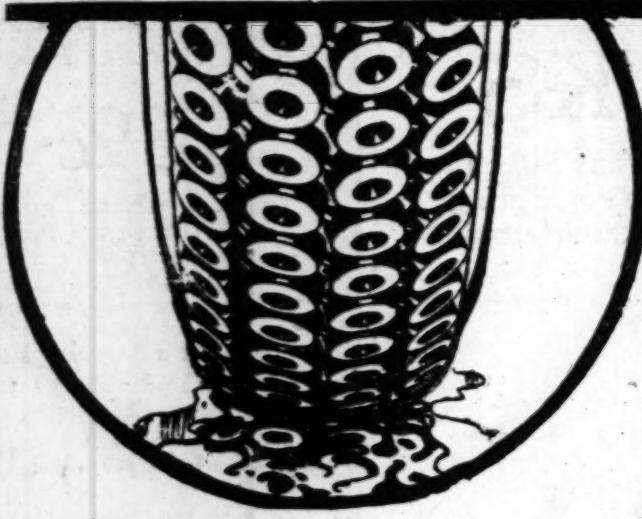
High Costs Bar "Petroleum Week."

CHICAGO, March 25.—Plans for "petroleum week," scheduled to begin yesterday, have been abandoned because of prospective ex-

cessive costs, it was learned from leaders in the movement designed to inform the public of the facts regarding the oil industry."

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32x4	\$31.95	\$22.75	34x4 1/2	\$42.75	\$29.75
33x4	\$32.95	\$22.75	33x5	\$49.95	\$34.75
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The Suits are strongly constructed with tape binding in armholes and strongly reinforced yoke.

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We are now offering a wide assortment of Baseball accessories at various prices, awaiting selection for the Spring season of sports.

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Made of fine quality chrome tanned horsehide, glovolum treated. Made for right or left hand, with short or long fingers.

George Sisler First-Base Mitts

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A lively Ball with rubber center and horsehide cover, in regulation size.

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Baseballs

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Rag Rugs in hit-and-miss patterns. Size, 27x54.

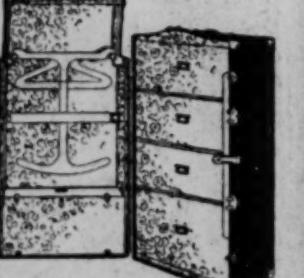
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In sizes 18x36, offering a good selection.

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In sizes 16x27, these Mats are splendid values.

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Luggage Shop—Basement.

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Men's \$2.00 Automobile Gloves	<b>\$1.00</b>
Boys' Heavy Overalls, 2 pairs for .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
Men's Heavy Overalls and Jumpers	<b>\$1.00</b>
Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 4 for .....	<b>\$1.00</b>
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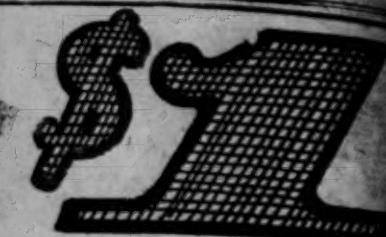
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White Gold-Filled Platinum Finish

The platinum tin gives a very effect.

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Fitted to your watch at the special price of \$1.00

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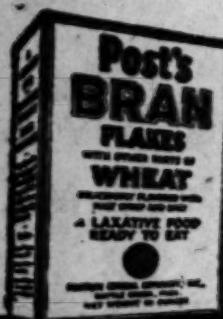
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to pain or disfigurement, no confinement to bed; you can sit up, walk, work, eat, sleep, etc.  
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All For \$1.00 With This Ad.

Good March 25th, 26th and 27th

Present this coupon to your Neighborhood Grocer—if he cannot supply you, telephone—

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### ATTACKS 'SNOWBIRD' COAL SALE METHODS

Official of Retailers' Association Replies to Complaint of Trade Commission.

The methods of "snowbirds," or irregular and intermittent coal dealers, are described by E. J. Wallace, commissioner of the Mid-West Retail Coal Association, in an answer to a complaint of the Federal Trade Commission against the organization, which also is known as the Missouri State Retail Coal Merchants' Association. The complaint was issued Feb. 13 from the trade commission's headquarters in Washington, and the reply was made public today.

In the complaint it was charged that the retailers co-operated in preventing distribution of coal except through so-called "regular" channels, and prevented irregular dealers and other associations and other consumers from obtaining coal at wholesale prices, or from other sources than the regular dealers. Use of a periodical, "The Coal Dealer," and of a coal trade directory, for the purpose of listing the regular dealers, was alleged.

Wallace, in his reply, says he has been trying to protect legitimate coal dealers, and the public, from the practices of the "snowbirds." He says that before he took the operation and management of the Mid-West Retail Coal Association, the irregular dealers lacked reliable information on the economic conditions of the coal business.

Wallace declares that the "snowbirds" make false representations as to their credit, standing and business facilities, to enable them to obtain coal at wholesale prices. They operate their business, he declares, from wagons or direct from side tracks, thereby holding cars on the side tracks unnecessarily at times when cars are most needed; they misrepresent the fact that they do not pay taxes, and are irresponsible and not to be found in case of complaint, few of them having even a telephone connection. He says the "snowbirds" have made false representations to the Trade Commission.

Wallace said today that he believed his answer was the first of its kind which had been made to the Federal Trade Commission in behalf of any concern cited by it. The Supreme Court recently decided in the American Tobacco case, that the commission could not undertake a "general expedition" by making a general search of a corporation's records, for evidence to be used again it.

LOUISIANA PRIMARY TODAY

Clark's Daughter First Louisiana Woman in Congressional Race.

NEW ORLEANS, March 25.—A Democratic primary to select a nominee for Congressman to succeed the late Representative H. Garland Dupre for the unexpired term ending March 4, 1925, is being held in the second Louisiana district today. For the first time in the history of Louisiana, a woman is a candidate for a seat in the nation's House of Representatives. She is Mrs. Genevieve Clark Thomson, daughter of the late Champ Clark of Missouri, former Speaker of the House, and wife of James M. Thomson, publisher of the New Orleans Item.

Mrs. Thomson is opposed by J. Zach Spearing, past president of the American Bar Association, and T. Semmes Walmsley, Assistant Attorney-General of Louisiana. Nomination is tantamount to election.

SHELTON BROTHERS GIVE BOND

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MARION, Ill., March 25.—Carl Earl Shelton, brothers charged with the murder of Constable Caesar Cagle on the night of Feb. 8, and whose death resulted in the Ku Klux Klan's assumption of control of affairs in Herrin and the calling of troops to Williamson County, have been released on \$10,000 bond each, after being held separately in the Williamson County jail for two weeks.

The two brothers surrendered to Sheriff Galligan the day they were indicted by the Herrin city grand jury two weeks ago, and since that time it is alleged that Klan men and others have made a desperate effort to find them. Their presence in the local jail was kept a secret by the Sheriff until bond could be arranged so as to prevent trouble.

Mark Hollingshead Dies. Murdoch Hollingshead, a former bookkeeper in the auditing department of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat and brother of Thomas M. Hollingshead, business manager of that newspaper, died last night at his Cincinnati home at the age of 68 years. Hollingshead was with the Globe-Democrat for 30 years. He joined its staff in 1892 and retired in the fall of 1922 to return to his old home in Cincinnati. Besides his brother, he is survived by two sisters.

Missouri Road Conditions.

KANSAS CITY—Cloudy; roads soft.

ST. JOSEPH—Cloudy; light rain;

roads soft.

JOPLIN—Cloudy; roads good.

JEFFERSON CITY—Cloudy;

light rain; roads fair.

COLUMBIA—Light rain; roads muddy.

MOBERLY—Cloudy after light rain; roads muddy.

SEALIA—Cloudy; roads soft.

HANNIBAL—Cloudy; roads muddy.

SPRINGFIELD—Cloudy; roads

good.

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—especially proficient in the art of presenting stylish stout apparel—will render you courteous and efficient service.

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St. Louis Largest Women's Specialty Shop

### FITTING SERVICE

Professional fitters, with long experience, will be ready, as always, to supervise any alterations necessary.

## Wednesday Is "Stylish Stout Day"

A WELCOME message to all who seek style smartness! Modish Spring apparel, designed particularly for large women and "stylish stout," will be featured in every department in a fitting demonstration of this store's preparedness to outfit women who require the larger sizes. "Garland's for Stylish Stout Apparel."

## Fashionable Frocks

—that make stout figures stylish  
—featured in a special group at

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Stout Sizes,  
38 1-2 to 46 1-2



Lovely new Spring Frocks, in straightline styles, fashioned to impart the desired silhouette. Beautifully made of Canton crepe, satin combinations, Georgette and satin-faced crepe. Many charming trimming effects in braid, beads and fancy girdles. A remarkable group at \$25.

Another wonderful group of new Silk Dresses, is worthy of special mention. You will be delighted with this showing at

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Special salesladies to attend you in our  
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## Suits That Slenderize

Models That Will Instantly Appeal to Stylish Stout Women

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Suits that will capture your admiration the moment you see them. Tailored and semi-sport styles in tan, gray, black and white checks, navy and black are shown in a variety of trimming ideas—all designed to enhance the appearance of the stout woman or miss. Select from:

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\$2.95 values in thread silk with lisle top. Outsizes in black, fawn, cordovan, beige, African brown. At...

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Coats in attractive styles and pleasing lines that tend toward the straight silhouette. A large variety of models for choice in the most effective Spring colorings. The fabrics are:

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\$39.50 Values

Fine matched skins in 2-skin Mink Chokers. Extra-large and neck pieces for "stylish stout" Special at...

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Fast-color Ginghams of excellent weaving quality, in checks, plaids and plain colors for Spring wear; 32 inches wide. Third Floor	All-wool French Serge in black and navy; 54 inches wide. Third Floor

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Here are full-fashioned silk Hose from a foremost maker, and with the dainty lace-clocked designs that are so popular. Lisle or silk tops and black, favored colors and white. Sizes 8½ to 10.

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### Substantial Savings on Linen Tablecloths

**\$8.95 Value for . . . \$6.75**

**\$2.25 Damask**  
Special, **\$1.45**  
Yard, All-linen bleached Table Damask, 70 inches wide, good assortment of floral designs. Napkins to match. Dozen, \$3.95

**\$1.95 Centerpieces, \$1.45**  
Round and 32-inch size; trimmed with wide Fillet lace. Third Floor

**\$4.50 Buffet Sets**  
Special, **\$3.45**  
Madeira hand-embroidered and hand-drawn three-tiered Buffet Sets. Made of good quality linen.

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53 Value,  
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## CHAPTER XXX.

Wilson Broke With Lansing  
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Without an Active PresidentA incident in American history  
signals the few days in which  
the Government of the United  
States had no President for  
Woodrow Wilson's  
final breakdown he was unable  
to serve as the chief executive.There were, of course, contributory  
reasons such as the dissent ex-  
pressed at Paris by Mr. Lansing  
with respect to the Shantung set-  
tlement in the Versailles treaty of  
peace. Mr. Wilson showed dis-  
pleasure, for instance, on his  
Western trip when he received a  
telegram from Mr. Lansing stating  
that one of the attachés of the  
American Peace Mission, testifying  
before the Senate Foreign Relations  
Committee had accused Mr.  
Lansing's disloyalty with the  
Senate's decision on the Shantung  
question, a circumstance which had  
up to that time been rumored, but not  
confirmed, and which, of course,  
was ammunition for Mr. Wilson's  
opponents in the treaty fight.What Mr. Lansing did as Secretary  
of State—the responsible officer  
of the Government who must  
certify to all proclamations and  
writs under the law it is to  
notify the Vice President of the  
death or disability of the Presi-  
dent—undoubtedly was just the  
thing that irritated individual  
who felt he was by no means  
responsible for the crisis.It is well said: "One must  
remember that in 1912 after Presi-  
dent Wilson had stumped the State  
and Mr. McAdoo also had, Mr.  
Underwood took the Georgia delega-  
tion away from Wilson."The Klan issue against McAdoo  
was denounced as a spurious one  
by Rockwell who emphasized Mc-  
Adoo's declaration in his recent  
Macon speech that stood by con-  
stitutional guarantees of religious  
freedom."Mr. McAdoo," predicted Rock-  
well, "will be nominated at Madison  
Square Garden. Then comes the  
no decision about it. We cannot  
anticipate even a deadlock. And  
I can say this: If there is a dead-  
lock, Mr. McAdoo with an absolute  
phalanx of voters behind him—men  
and women zealous in their advo-  
cacy of his nomination—will shape  
the destiny of the party in that  
national gathering, come what may."

SITUATION IN TEXAS.

In Texas, where New York Dem-  
ocratic leaders have been given to  
understanding that Gov. Neff is hostil-  
e to McAdoo and a presidential aspirant  
himself, Rockwell promised  
that the Neff and McAdoo forces  
would combine to beat Senator  
Underwood."Neff," explained Rockwell, "will  
get the favorite son vote and Mr.  
McAdoo will eventually inherit all  
the Neff delegates."

ATTENDS TO PUBLIC BUSINESS.

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April 10, 1907.

**LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE**

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but no request will be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

**The Rumely Conviction.**

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.  
OULD it not be possible for the Senate to investigate Dr. Rumely's case and find out:

First, how it happened that a most important piece of evidence which was in the hands of the Government and which was most favorable to Dr. Rumely was not given to the jury. I mean the evidence revealed later by Mr. Nagel of St. Louis, a former member of Mr. Taft's Cabinet.

When this evidence was presented to all the members of the jury that could be found that tried Dr. Rumely—eight in number—without exception these jurors expressed the idea that had this evidence which was in the possession of the United States Attorney been presented, it would have caused either an acquittal or a disagreement. Five of them agreed that "since in our judgment this new evidence would have altered our verdict or resulted in a disagreement, we therefore respectfully recommend that any wrong had been done at Congress, by resolution, demanded an inquiry. So far as the public knows, if it had not been for La Follette and Kendrick and Reed of Pennsylvania and the avenging spirit of Senator Walsh, along with the unbluffable determination of Wheeler, there would not today be a ripple on the placid surface of Washington and Fall, Denby, Daugherty, Doheny, Sinclair and the whole camorra would be "sitting pretty."

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**Protection Through Organization.**  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

THE Post-Dispatch is to be highly commended for its splendid articles and editorials of enlightenment on that vital subject of "Child Labor."

The child life of our nation, which is of such vast importance to the preservation of our nation's future, is worthy of the consideration such as you are endeavoring to give in your educational campaign against this unholy custom of permitting these innocent victims to be exploited by the greed of men.

It is true, as some of the recent editorials stated, that it is only too evident that child labor cannot be abolished by legislation. Greed, like morals, cannot be legislated out of men any more than morals can be legislated into men.

But we'd beg to call your attention to the fact, that the American Federation of Labor has always given its fullest support to the strict enforcement of child labor laws, and we point with pride to the fact, that in the organized ranks the full spirit and letter of the law has been lived up to, and will continue to be, in the opinion of our Supreme Court declaratory.

Laws, although with vigilance and great expense to the Government, has never proven to be the relief workers are seeking, and the fact remains that organization and not legislation has been the only real protection the toilers have ever enjoyed. MARY E. RYDER,  
Geographical Union No. 8.

**Postal Department Not Self-Sustaining.**  
To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

A GENTLEMAN of Missouri averred in this column inter alia, that the Post-Office Department was self-sustaining. A gentleman of Illinois read the statement, and forthwith denies that the Post-Office Department was ever self-sustaining, quoting a single annual deficit to bolster his universal avowal. Now, the gentleman of Missouri being in nowise desirous of wasting time, paper and ink on a long series of polemical statistics leading to no possible conclusion, is disposed to demonstrate the gentleness of Illinois' lack of logic in a somewhat homely, but none the less collateral, exposition.

John is 16 years old. John works, earning a weekly wage of \$12. John turns over to his father \$11 every week, keeping \$1 for pocket. Now, John lives at his father's house, for which his father, who is retired, eats at his father's board, and is clothed by his father with such sheikish clothes as may please. Now, John's father is calculating the family budget, finds that \$12.00 is John's share of the expense. However, John turns over \$11 every week without fail. Can it be logically said, then, even though John is in deficit to a small amount every week, that he is not self-sustaining? THEO. T. WESLICK.

**IF CONGRESS HADN'T INVESTIGATED.**

It is a great pity, of course, that Congress should have to expend energy and time in investigating corruption which should have been devoted to necessary legislation. Mr. Coolidge has deplored that fact, so has Senator Borah and so have many newspapers.

Yet Mr. Coolidge and those newspapers will admit that the things being investigated ought to be investigated. They would not dare contest the point. Conceding, then, that Congress is doing those things that ought to be done, just what is their grievance? The failure of Congress to enact necessary legislation is serious, to be sure, but is it a competent objection? As a matter of fact, the outstanding legislative failure of Congress had to do with taxation, and to what extent is the investigation responsible for that? The failure to give the country tax relief is chargeable to the House, which has had nothing to do with the investigation. It is the Senate that has been doing the investigating, and, accordingly, the complaint against Congress for failing to legislate is mistakenly drawn.

But even if were true that the investigation has diverted Congress from its constitutional function and prevented necessary legislation, what have Mr. Coolidge and his newspaper supporters to propose? Do they wish to be understood as saying that this investigation should not have been conducted? If a Cabinet officer can sell himself, as Fall did, turn priceless public property over to private exploiters and destroy the settled policy of conservation upon which the permanent fame of the great Roosevelt must rest—if a Cabinet officer can do that and get away with it without investigation, just how long could the Government at Washington endure?

We assume, too, that Mr. Coolidge and the newspapers that are denouncing Congress are agreed that the unspeakable Forbes and his wanton betrayal of the sick and wounded soldiers ought to be investigated. They will also acknowledge, we are sure, that the Department of Justice must not continue to be a rendezvous of crooks and grafters.

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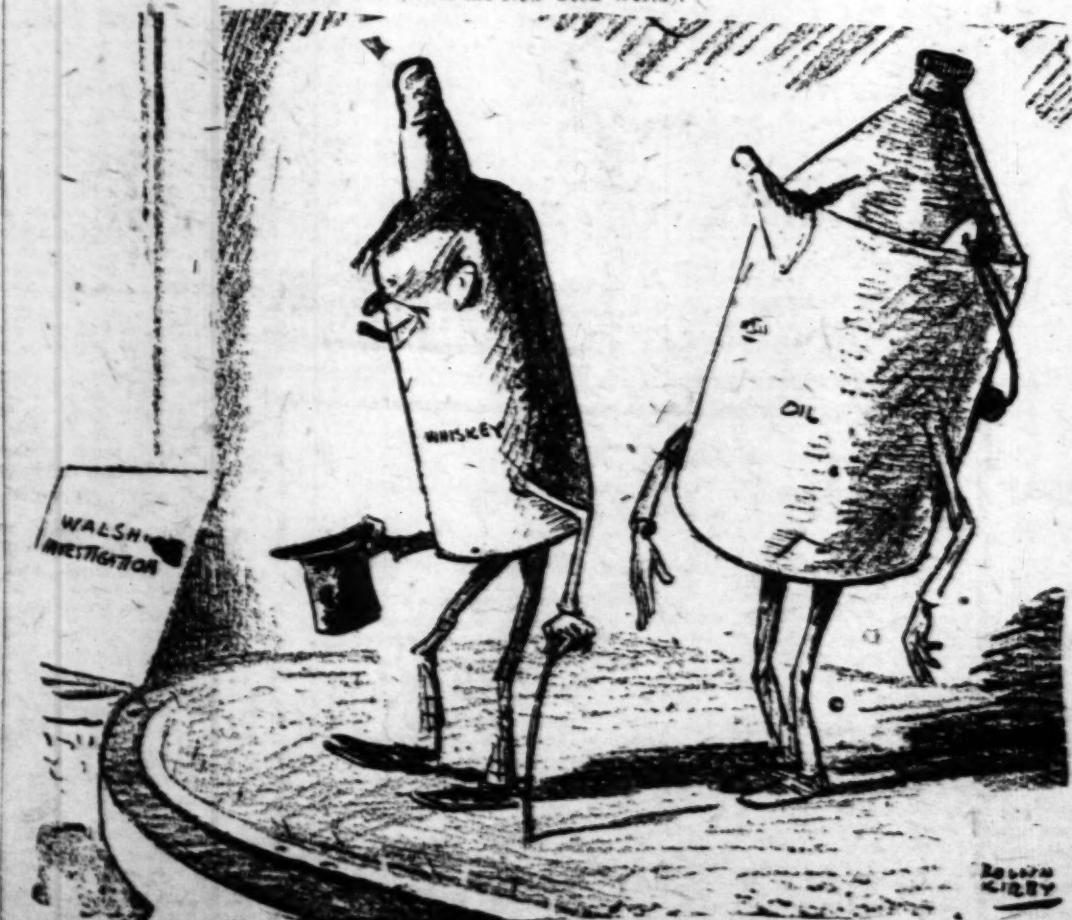
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There is little chance that the practiced propagandists of the oil interests and their allies, the Republican organization powers, can make an impress upon the public that will balance off the open record made by the respective administrations. To the die-hards who first decide how to vote and then seek a reason to justify their decision, however, the organization literature will be friend in need.

**CITY'S STREET RAILWAY INTEREST.**

Who is looking after the city's interests in the reorganization of the United Railways? Every interest is represented in the proceedings to reorganize the local railways system except that of the city.

The city has a profound interest in the reorganization of the street railways for future service. It is true that the city has no power to determine valuation nor fares. That power rests with the State Public Utility Commission. But the basis upon which the reorganization will be effected and the future relationship between the city and the company, and the regulation of service, will affect every citizen of St. Louis who uses the street car system.

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**FIGHTING FOR THEIR LIVES.****JUST A MINUTE**Written for the Post-Dispatch  
By CLARK MCADOO**EVENING SONG.**

YOUR eyes are like the twilight dusk,  
The night-bird's wing, your hair;  
Your smile is like the golden mist.  
Your face is everywhere.

Appearing in the shifting cloud.  
From smoky rings, or garland tree,  
Beyond the shadows, from the hills  
And burning skies, you come to me.

I wonder what you bring to me  
Of passion and of pain.  
As I watch the saffron colors fade  
And the summer twilight wane.

JOSEPHUS.

**STATEMENT OF AN OIL MAN.**

(It's oil a table.)  
I was once high and possessed of great  
power in the councils of my countrymen.  
Now I am low and without credit in any land.  
My fate is the portion of one who betrayed the interests of the country that gave him birth and shelter in his youth.  
I ask for no commiseration, expect no charity.  
I speak that those who shall follow and rise to high places may hear and take heed.  
I have learned that there is nothing of value gained in life but honest toil.  
The riches acquired through treachery and bribery are as ashes in my mouth; faint would I repay all that I have that is tainted and regain my good name.  
But the stigma can never be removed and I am unhappy forever.

THE PRESS BOY.

**KSD: A want ad:**

TROUSERS—Lost: left on 13th Belt  
line, March 21. Return to 1520  
St. Louis; reward: Tyler 1960.

I lost the United Railways were getting  
the clothes off our backs, but I didn't know  
they were getting anybody's trousers.

KSD.

**SIR:**

Concerning Ignoramus' plaint that he is "nothing about nothing about nothing." I'll say to you privately that, if he has turned the No. 50 pylon, he's a gone. If he is younger than that he should cheer up, for the worst is yet to come if he doesn't watch his step. He may live to learn that absolute knowledge (which he seeks) is impossible for an absolute being (as no one ever doubted), but that men stubbornly refuse to use, as the basis of their philosophy of life, the one undoubted article of knowledge which the natural order has irreversibly imposed upon them, and by which they must live their more or less instinctive lives. I suggest that you gently lay this situation before Ignoramus. He really should be told; and service, I hear, is the chief end of man.

M.

**ROUSE THYSELF, ST. LOUIS!**

IN our city institution vicious pagans kill  
and maim.  
And evade just prosecution. What an outrage!  
What a shame!

Helpless inmates unproctected, feeble-minded, bent with age,  
Are most flendishly subjected to their wrath and savage rage.

Brooding souls deserving pity—some just  
grappling for their graves.

In your most populous city, they are  
tormented by these knaves.

In the name of God and justice, rouse thyself

## MUSIC

**San Carlo Singers Open Engagement With Sterling Performance of "Rigoletto."**

## THE CAST.

Mario Mantua...Demetrio Onofre  
Napoli...Mario Bassola  
Villa...Consuelo Escobar  
Baruffelli...Pietro di Biasi  
Madonna...Anita Klinova  
Montero...Natalie Cervi  
Caneva...Pietro Canova  
Princessa di Ceprano...Francesco Curci  
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## By RICHARD L. STOKES.

HE during Signor Fortune Gallo chose that startling novel Verdi's "Rigoletto," for last night's launching of the San Carlo Opera Co.'s engagement at the Colosseum. But by way of compensation, three singers new to this city were introduced—Demetrio Onofre, Romanian tenor; Mario Bassola, Italian baritone; and Consuelo Escobar, Mexican coloratura soprano. Bassola's robust vocalism and vehement acting in the title role made a particular impression. The large audience seemed inclined to agree that a pleasant entertainment had been had.

Of course, Metropolitan standards are not expected of this itinerant troupe, now paving its tenth route to St. Louis. The chorus is far from exemplary, and the orchestra is small. Thanks to a recent wreck, there were spicks and some new settings. It is related that the company manager wired to Gallo a message to this effect: "Company in terrible wreck! Seven men turned over! Horrible!" Whereupon the worried impresario telegraphed in haste: "Is the scene damaged?" It was, and also one of the troupe were hurt, though only slightly.

## Rosalia Captures Laurels.

Rosalia, who is filling his first season as soprano soloist, and is engaged for Ravinia Park this summer, carried off the honors of a performance that was generally well-sung. As the pandering buffoon whose crimes recite so appealingly on his own head, the youthful singer acted with power, emotional stress, and delivered his text with such dramatic intensity that it sometimes burst the limits of song and exploded into shouting. Under this tension, the voice was more than once driven off the pitch. But it is a sonorous and well-toned organ, with an excellent high register.

Mr. Edward E. Haverstick of 4919 Forest Park place and his son, Krenning, who have spent the past month in Florida, will return home next week by way of Washington, D. C.

Because of the unexpected early arrival of the humor guest, the luncheon planned for tomorrow by Miss Steele Garrett, at the home of her parents, 29 Kingsbury place, in honor of Mrs. John O'Hara Costgrave, was given today. Mrs. Costgrave is president of the Finch School in New York, and Miss Garrett's guests will include some of the St. Louis alumnae.

Mrs. Floyd Augustine of 4410 Westminster place, and her small daughter, are expected home Saturday from Detroit, where they have been visiting Mrs. Augustine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. McDonald.

Dr. Alice Salomon, who is visiting in St. Louis this week as the guest of Mrs. Ernest W. Stix, will speak at a meeting given under the auspices of the St. Louis section of the Council of Jewish Women, the Woman's International League for Peace and Freedom and the St. Louis League of Women Voters, at Temple Shaare Emeth, corner Lindell and Vandeventer tonight at 8:15. Her subject will be "The New Spirit of Germany." Mrs. Alan Bernick, president of the St. Louis Council of Jewish Women, will preside.

Mrs. Fred J. Tausig, president of the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, and Mrs. D. O. Ives, Mrs. Roscoe Anderson and Miss Florence Weigel, Board of Presidents of the St. Louis League of Women Voters, will sit on the platform.

Mrs. E. T. Stix entertained Dr. Salomon and Mrs. Beatrice Forbes-Robertson, who is the guest of Mrs. J. Lionberger Davis, at lunch today.

The Executive Board of Women Voters will entertain Mrs. Hale and Dr. Salomon at a luncheon at 12:30 tomorrow at the College Club. At this luncheon will be Misses Charles Nagel, John Shapley, E. W. Stix, J. Lionberger Davis, Irvin Bettman, Evans Graham, William V. Schell, George Lewis, H. H. Muchall, William Gilbert, Mary Reber, Clarence V. Beck, Louis Egan, Virgil Loeb, W. T. Sayman, Laura Egan, Roscoe Anderson, D. O. Ives, George Gellhorn and Miss Florence Weigel.

William R. Humphrey, son of Henry H. Humphrey of 5596 Barrington avenue, and Miss Mary E. Younghusband, was attractive to me, and often charming to hear, though her singing was quite uniform. At best, it had the true ring and quality of a coloratura soprano, and some of the soft and angular notes were especially fine, tender and caressing in feeling. Her "Caro name" had the usual success. Onofre exhibited a slender and sleekly groomed tenor, flexible, tuneful and temperamentally more than might have been expected. Once, after an intermission, he was compelled to stop the orchestra in order to glare a group of chatters in the audience into silence.

Miss Elia Vettori, dramatic soprano, and former St. Louisan, will sing the name-part in "La Tosca."

Others in the cast will be Eddie Pianino, and Mario, Valente, baritone, as Baron Scarpia. Peroni will conduct.

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**ST. LOUIS ORCHESTRA HEARD 3 TIMES AT MONTGOMERY, ALA.**

Conductor Ganz, Mrs. Carpenter Pampani, and the Soloists.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., March 26.—Three concerts given here by the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra aroused the enthusiasm of audiences at the City Auditorium, including many musicians from towns within the Montgomery district. Rain interfered with the attendance at a special matinee Sunday, but the program was well received. Mrs. Helen Traubel Carpenter, St. Louis soprano, and Grazia Pampani, harpist, were soloists.

An afternoon concert yesterday was attended by several hundred school children. Frederick Fischer conducted part of the program. Encores were frequent.

Last night conductor Ganz was soloist, playing the A minor piano concerto of Grieg. Chopin's waltz in A flat, and Liszt's "Liebestraum."

The night orchestral program included Glazka overture, "The Overture to 'Tannhauser,'" and a Tchaikowsky's symphony.

At the afternoon concert Michel Guisoff, violinist, played a rondo by Saint-Saens and the Meditacion from "Thais."

## Social News

## VISITING IN CHICAGO



## ARCHBISHOP GLENNON

## MAY GET WALSH HOME

His Entrance as Prospective Buyer Calms Dispute Started by Undertaker.

The Judge S. Walsh mansion at 4510 Lindell boulevard likely will become the residence of Archbishop Glennon and all strife concerning its ownership thus vanish in a sale satisfactory to neighboring property owners.

Such a settlement of the dispute might be all right with Undertaker Charles Geraghty, he indicated several days ago. Geraghty claimed to have paid \$500 earnest money for a contract to buy the Walsh residence, but he had sold it to another. The dispute began when Feb. 10, Wade, president of the Masten Trust Co., announced that he had bought the house for the account of himself and nine other Lindell boulevard residents who did not wish to see it become an undertaking establishment.

Entrance of the Archbishop as prospective owner caused both sides to calm down. Geraghty told a Post-Dispatch reporter that Wade and his associates were good fellows and that a compromise would be reached shortly. Wade announced today that the Lindell boulevard neighbors hoped to sell to Archbishop Glennon and expected to do so.

Geraghty said he agreed to purchase for \$50,000 and Wade said his syndicate bought for \$52,000, but details as to the impending sale to Archbishop Glennon are withheld.

The Archbishop now resides at 3810 Lindell boulevard, but he stated today he expected to move to 4510 as soon as negotiations are completed.

With peace on this sector of Lindell boulevard, the only other dispute is in the 4300 block, where Undertaker Saville Mayer and architect-builder, E. A. Worthington, are at odds because Mayer proposes to set up an undertaking establishment next to the lot where Worthington had planned to build a \$1,000,000 apartment.

Director of Public Welfare Cuniff protested yesterday in a letter to the Board of Estimates and Apportionment against reduction of the hospital fund from 1 per cent to 1/4 per cent of the municipal revenue.

About 180 years' expenditure, he was told, will be lost if the hospital fund is reduced to 1/4 per cent of the municipal revenue.

One cent of the city revenue was about 180 years' expenditure, but Cuniff remonstrated that the larger fund would make possible a number of emergency measures which he listed, and cutting it by half would handicap the department.

The construction of the building and the policy of its management also contribute to this desirable end.

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## SHORTAGE OF HOSPITAL

## FACILITIES DISCLOSED

Present Number of Beds Inadequate, Community Council Survey Shows.

A shortage of hospital facilities does exist in St. Louis, particularly for negro patients and for treatment of tuberculosis, maternity cases and infectious diseases, it was disclosed today as the result of a recent survey under the direction of Mrs. John A. Hassell of the Community Council Health Department.

One striking fact brought out was that present facilities would be sufficient to accommodate the negro population of St. Louis.

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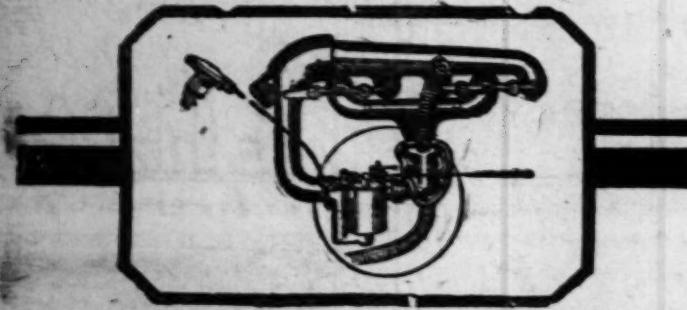
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## MEMORIAL TO WIFE MACDONALD'S TRIBUTE

Pilgrims Visit Spot Marked in Memory of Woman Who Helped Him to Premiership.

Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.

LONDON, March 25.—The achievement of Ramsay Macdonald in rising from an envelope-licking clerk to the highest political position in Great Britain is tinged with tragedy in the thought that his wife, who labored with him in his struggles to improve the position of the poor, died before honors came to him.

A memorial erected by Macdonald and his friends to Mrs. Macdonald in front of their former home in Lincoln's Inn Fields has, with Labor's advent to power, changed from an unsung-martyr group and wooden bench to a center of public pilgrimage. Daily hundreds leave the thronging of traffic of Fleet street and the Strand to stroll through the quiet little park near which the memorial—with the woman's arms outstretched to welcome a host of little children—identifies itself thus: "This seat was placed here in memory of Margaret Ethel Macdonald, who spent her life in helping others."

Left Five Children.

Mrs. Macdonald died in 1911, leaving five children, none then grown at the time, the cause of their father. Her death must have saddened many other children, for all her life she had devoted time, thought and work to improve the lot of the little ones in poverty. As a school girl she worked at a small boys' club in Kensington, and later education claimed her keen interest. To the grown-up poor, as well as their offspring, she lent a hand of help, one of her principal aims being to improve the working conditions of barmaids and charwomen.

Mrs. Macdonald's interest were political as well as humanitarian, but her particular concern was but a means of attaining her ambitions in the latter respect.

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By the Associated Press  
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#### FOUR FOSSILIZED SKELETONS DUG UP NEAR LOS ANGELES

By the Associated Press  
LOS ANGELES Cal., March 25.—Four fossilized human skeletons, estimated to be from 10,000 to 25,000 years old, have been unearthed in excavations near here which recently gave up a skull classified by some paleontologists as possibly one of the earliest relic of primitive man yet brought to light. It was announced last night.

**BRITISH NOT AGAINST DEATH PENALTY SAYS HENDERSON**

Home Secretary Replies to Deputation Asking Him to Urge Abolition of Capital Punishment  
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**PLAN FOR EARLY BREAKFAST FATAL**

Authorities Believe Two of Men Died in Sleep, After Potatoes Had Been Put On to Cook.

Three workingmen who kept their house at 3218½ Greenwood boulevard, Maplewood, prepared on an early breakfast yesterday and placed a pot of potatoes on the kitchen gas range Sunday night to cook while they slept. The pot boiled over and the gas flame was extinguished. The fumes permeated the air of the closed two-story house and as the alarm clock on a shelf ticked away the hours the three men died, two of them without waking.

This is the manner of the death of the three men, two of them brothers, whose bodies were found last night at the Greenwood boulevard address as explained by Maplewood authorities, deducing from the physical evidence of the room where they were found.

Two of Dead Were Brothers.  
The dead are Floyd L. Krause, 32 years old; Byron B. Krause, 26, and Ignatius Callahan, 47. The Krause brothers, plasterers by trade, worked for their father, S. P. Krause of 3515 Commonwealth avenue, who hurried because they did not have time to eat breakfast.

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**BRITISH NOT AGAINST DEATH PENALTY SAYS HENDERSON**

Home Secretary Replies to Deputation Asking Him to Urge Abolition of Capital Punishment  
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**PLAN FOR EARLY BREAKFAST FATAL**

Authorities Believe Two of Men Died in Sleep, After Potatoes Had Been Put On to Cook.

Three workingmen who kept

#### ERUPTION OF ISLAND VOLCANO

Philippine Officials Fear Fishermen There May Have Perished.

By the Associated Press

MANILA, March 25.—A volcano on Babuyan Island, between the Philippines and Japan, was in eruption early this month and its deafened inhabitants have perished, according to illumination of the northern horizon. Earthquakes which lasted three days followed,

Sapp asserted.

Indicate that the island was not inhabited, officials believe a number of fishermen recently established headquarters there.

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#### WOMEN! DYE EVERYTHING NEW FOR A FEW CENTS

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Teaspoonful of Powder From Italy Placed in Shoes Relieves Man of Rheumatic Pain Almost at Once

By the Associated Press

CLEVELAND, O., March 25.—

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vania were arrested here yesterday

on federal indictments returned in

The men, L.

When he went into the store he

got the marvelous powder, he was

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was drawing about two and

Later the same man, Mr. F. M.

(name on request), of New York

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It gives me pleasure to inform you

that one box of your powder completely

relieved me of my rheumatism

from which I have suffered so

long.

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is Alessandro Volta, the well-known

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When he went into the store to get this miraculous powder, he was crippled. Because of the terrible torturing effects of rheumatism he was crawling about on two soles.

Later the same man, Mr. F. B. (name on request), of New York City, wrote the following letter: "It gives me pleasure to inform you that one box of your powder completely cured me in three days of rheumatism from which I have suffered for some time."

The discoverer of this powder is Alessandro Volta, the well-known Italian physicist, for whom the electric volt was named. He discovered a scientific combination of certain ingredients which he compound into a fine powder. This powder, when shaken into the shoes or stockings, is intended to penetrate immediately through the myriad pores in the soles of the feet.

This is called the powder Volta. It has been so successful in the treatment of thousands of cases of rheumatism, many of which were considered hopeless, that American druggists have authorized local druggists to dispense the powder with an unqualified guarantee that the entire cost of the first box will be refunded if you are not wonderfully relieved.

If you suffer from Rheumatic Complaints, Lumbago, Gout or Neuralgia, you owe it to yourself to try this remarkable and revolutionary scientific treatment. It is absolutely harmless and will not cost one cent if you do not receive wonderful relief.

You can get a box of Volta from such good druggists as Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., Judge & Dohle Drug Stores, Johnson Bros. Drug Co., Kieffer Drug Co.

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Pharmacists call it "Joint-Ease" because it's for Swollen, Sore, Painful, Creaky Joints Only.

It took a good many years to gather a combination of pain subduing and swelling reducing agents declared to be the one remedy that almost instantaneously passes through skin and flesh and starts right in to make swollen, inflamed, creaky, pain racked joints as good as new.

They call this new and wonderful preparation "Joint-Ease" because the medical man who turned the trick, worked for years to perfect some less-priced remedy that would really benefit the millions of people who have one or more joints that need helpful attention.

So "Joint-Ease" is prepared only for people who have a swollen, painful, creaky, distorted or stiff joint, whether it be knee, elbow, shoulder, ankle, neck or finger and whether it is caused by rheumatism or something else.

Of course, it can't help but quickly put an end to such superficial ailments as lumbago, neuralgia, neuritis, aching muscles, stitch in the side, crick in the neck or sore feet because of its penetrating action, but what it is really recommended for is joint ailments of any nature whatever.

Ask for a tube of "Joint-Ease." You can use it several times a day, waiting for quick results, because it goes right through the skin with only a few seconds rubbing. It surely is a swift penetrator and when it gets under the skin, it starts right in to clean up all joint trouble.

Wolff-Wilson Drug Co., 7th and Washington, and all druggists dispense it daily for about 60 cents a tube.

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"For sixteen years my wife suffered intensely from stomach trouble. If we failed to try any doctor or remedy that was recommended to us, I do not recall it. When we heard of Dietone, we followed our usual mode of procedure. My wife not only secured immediate relief but she is now entirely free of her trouble."

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**THREE, INCLUDING BROTHER, HELD FOR WILKINS MURDER**

Joint Charge Filed Against Charles Wilkins, Railroad Man and Negro Janitor, Following Inquest.

**POLICE TO QUESTION AN OSTEOPATH**

Coroner's Attorney Asserts There Are Discrepancies in Excelsior Springs Man's Testimony.

KANSAS CITY, March 25.—B. E. Tarpiey, Charles Wilkins and Dillard Davies, negro, stand charged today with first degree murder in connection with the slaying here last week of Zoe Wilkins, pretty osteopath and love adventuress, as a result of the findings of a Coroner's jury yesterday.

Tarpiey's failure to make certain explanations at the hearing and discrepancies in the negro's statement concerning his movements on the night the murder is believed to have been committed, prompted James Anderson, assistant prosecutor, to recommend the charge be filed against these men, he said.

Testimony of friends of Miss Wilkins relating to alleged conversations with the woman, in which she spoke of quarrels with her brother, coupled with the fact he caused her dog—"her only protection to be killed led to the filing of the charge against Charles Wilkins.

Tarpiey, yardmaster for the Kansas City Terminal Railroad, was a frequent visitor at the Wilkins home. Davies was employed by Miss Wilkins as a janitor.

**To Question Blanchard Further.**

Chief of Detectives Walston announced today he would question Dr. A. F. Blanchard of Excelsior Springs, Mo., as to his whereabouts around March 15, when Miss Wilkins was found dead.

Horace Guffin, attorney for the Coroner, declared there were discrepancies in Blanchard's testimony at the inquest yesterday, which should be investigated more closely.

Blanchard, an osteopath, testified he had no business arrangements with the slain woman, although she had proposed a partnership. He denied knowledge of business cards bearing his name and that of Miss Wilkins.

Tarpiey and Charles Wilkins both declared Blanchard had given them osteopathic treatments many times in the Wilkins home. In his testimony Blanchard said he had treated Wilkins, but he did not identify Tarpiey.

A simple funeral service, attended only by relatives, was arranged this afternoon for Miss Wilkins.

**New Evidence Against Negro.**

Several witnesses were examined by the Coroner's jury yesterday, including the three charged with murder. These three reiterated their statements regarding their movements at the time of the crime, it is believed to have been committed.

The knife found beside the slain woman's body contained bits of oats and hay, concealed in the blade grooves, it was discovered by Horace Guffin, Deputy Coroner. The knife was identified by Sam Russell, junk man, as Davies. Davies has emphatically denied ownership of the knife.

When Davies was called to the stand he admitted he bought a sack of oats and a bale of hay Saturday afternoon, March 16, after leaving Miss Wilkins' home. He admitted he opened the sack with a knife.

That a powerful man, with a knowledge of anatomy, murdered the divorced wife of the late Thomas W. Cunningham, aged 40, Joplin (Mo.) banker, after a frantic attempt to revive her after she had been beaten into unconsciousness, is the belief of special investigators who are working on the case.

**This theory is borne out by the condition of the body when found.**

The investigators believe the slayer struck Miss Wilkins' terrible blow in the left eye with his right hand, that she swerved to the left and fell heavily to the floor, striking her head on one of several steel slats, laid out in a row as a base for the Abrams machine. The bloodstain left on the slat by the impact of her forehead is evident.

**Injury to Eye Probably Fatal.**

An abrasion, circled by a discoloration, was on the forehead, slightly to the left, where the body was found. The bruise and the injury to the left eye, the ball of which was almost dislodged, might have resulted in the death of Miss Wilkins, according to Dr. H. E. Moss, Deputy Coroner.

The investigators believe the slayer lifted the crumpled body and carried it to an open space on

the floor, stretched it out and attempted to administer first-aid treatment, first opening the office window (later found open) to let in air.

The body, when found, was

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Instant stomach relief. Harmless. The moment "Papa's Diapepsin" reaches the stomach all distress from acid stomach or indigestion ends. Immediate relief from flatulence, gases, heartburn, palpitation, fullness, or stomach pressure.

Correct your digestion for a few cents. Millions keep it handy. Drugists recommend it.

A strange note, written in an awkward hand, was found yesterday in the Wilkins home. Investigators believe it was written by someone who held the paper under a table to prevent other persons from seeing the message. The note said: "Take nothing from Clark. Keep hands off all but Clark. This will be over in a minute. Obey it."

Norma is a physician's prescription. It worked so wonderfully in his personal practice that it has now been placed in drug stores so that people everywhere can obtain it.

Check the uncertainty of high blood pressure by reducing it with Norma.

Wolff-Wilson, Judge & Dohle, Elderly and Johnson Bros. Drug Stores, or your favorite druggist can supply you.

New York Editor Dies at 90.  
By the Associated Press.  
LOWVILLE, N. Y., March 25.—Henry A. Phillips, 90 years old, editor and publisher of the Lowville

Journal and Republican for 51 years, died today.

## ADVERTISEMENT.

**MOTHER!**

Baby's Best Laxative is  
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When baby is constipated, give wind-colic, diarrhea, colic, half-teaspoonful of genuine "California Fig Syrup" promptly moves the pains, gases, bile, souring food and waste right out! Never cramps or overacts. Babies love its delicious taste.

Ask your druggist for genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has full directions for infants in all ages and children of all ages plainly printed on bottle. Mother, You must say "California" or you may get an imitation fig syrup.

**Gasoline Prices**

A LATE bulletin issued by the Bureau of Mines points out that 1923 established a new high record in gasoline production in the United States, reaching 7,555,945,143 gallons—an increase over 1922 of 21.83%.

The National Petroleum News prints an estimate that the probable requirements during 1924 will be 8,236,617,000 gallons of gasoline.

Unless the 1924 output of gasoline shall more than equal the high record of 1923, the supply will fall short of the demand by at least 780,617,857 gallons.

It is a well-established fact that crude production has declined sharply, California alone shows a falling off from the 1923 high mark of more than 200,000 barrels a day.

Manifestly only those refiners who can extract the greatest yield of gasoline from a given quantity of crude oil are in position to render a major service under existing circumstances.

During the past several years processes have been developed in the laboratories of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), by means of which this Company is able to recover a greater yield of gasoline from a given quantity of crude.

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**DREDGE HOISTS UP BEAVER**

See also to the Post-Dispatch.

**SHEAR CREEK, Alaska, March 25.**—A giant dredge on a gold claim near here late last fall dug up a real live beaver, according to Edward Juneau, winchman, visiting in town. "We were working late at night," says Juneau, "and the dredge was

digging in the middle of the river. In the dusk I saw a dark object coming down stream. I thought it might be a rock, so I turned around and it bumped against one of the 12-inch-foot buckets. The object was lifted from the water and came steadily up the line on top of a gravel-filled bucket and soon I saw it was a full-grown live beaver. He looked about and when 14 feet in the air gave one lunge and dove into the river mud."

Wife, Who Witnessed Murder

With Hammer, Exposes Husband.

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Good-bye, sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired feet.

Good-bye, corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more woe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony.

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Without question the Vose Grand, at \$795, is the greatest Grand Piano value you can find in field of price. Very convenient terms and your present instrument will be accorded a liberal exchange allowance.

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Here's a better way to wash dishes

Make heavy, hot suds with a quart of water to a tablespoonful of FAB, the soap flakes made with cocoanut oil. Your lovely china and glass are shiningly clean—and your hands soft and smooth.

Why not start now to enjoy the advantages of FAB? It is so safe and easy to use for your washing. Ask for it today at your grocer's.

"FAB is wonderful!"

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AT ALL GROCERS—10¢ THE PACKAGE

**CONFESSES HE KILLED WOMAN, BURNED BODY**

Wife, Who Witnessed Murder

With Hammer, Exposes Husband.

**NEW YORK, March 25.**—Harry Fenton, 31 years, last night confessed to the murder of his wife, Miss Mary Coleman, 60, with a hammer at her home last March 3, burning the body and stealing \$15, all he could find in her apartment, police state. Fenton was arrested on information furnished by his wife, Mary Fenton.

Mrs. Fenton saw her husband commit the murder. Later she became conscience-stricken and felt impelled to expose him. Capt. Carey of the homicide squad interviewed.

Capt. Carey said Fenton so completely covered his tracks that no suspicion was attached to the death of Mrs. Coleman. The body was so charred that signs of violence was not detected, he said.

The medical examiners thought Miss Coleman had accidentally burned herself to death while using a can of gasoline in her household duties. Fenton confessed the police said, to removing the woman's body from the parlor where he killed her to her bedroom and to setting fire to it the next day after scalding the body in gasoline.

Late in the afternoon of March 3, Fenton was said to have confessed he stealthily entered the room where the woman was working and strangled her over the head with a handkerchief.

After making sure she was dead, the police said Fenton locked the house, went to a drug store and purchased two bottles of gasoline. He spent the night in the room next to the body and the next day, when the janitor commented on Miss Coleman's disappearance, he burned the body, which was discovered by firemen, who confined the blaze to Miss Coleman's room.

**HOUSE VOTES \$10,000,000**

**FOR FOOD FOR GERMANY**

Measure Provides That Where Possible Supplies Shall Be Bought Through Farmers' Organizations.

**WASHINGTON, March 25.**—The Senate received today the Fish resolution as adopted by the House to appropriate \$10,000,000 for the purchase of food supplies for destitute women and children in Germany. After a three hours' debate, in which the constitutionality of the measure was attacked and defended, the House last night appropriated \$240,000.

As adopted, the bill, offered by Representative Fish (Rep.) of New York, a former service man, carries an amendment stipulating that the supplies shall be purchased wherever possible through farmers' organizations.

An amendment by Representative Fitzgerald (Rep.) of Ohio sought to prevent expenditure of any of the appropriations until a soldier bonus bill is enacted. The amendment was thrown out on a point of order. An amendment by Representative Tedorell (Rep.) of Massachusetts, to withhold the appropriation until the German Government spends an equal amount for the same purpose, was rejected by 84.

Amendments rejected by a voice vote included one by Representative Burton (Rep.) of North Dakota, to confine the supplies purchased to wheat, and another by Representative Wefald (Farmer-Labor) of Minnesota, to increase the appropriation to \$20,000,000.

**INSURANCE COMPANY GRANTED NEW TRIAL IN ADAMS CASE**

Judge Killoran Convinced Man Once Declared to Be Legally Dead Is Alive.

Motion for a new trial in the suit of Mrs. Cora M. Preiss against the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of New York was granted yesterday by Circuit Judge Killoran, on the contention of the insurance company that John P. Adams, former husband of Mrs. Preiss, is not dead, as she maintained when a jury recently gave her a verdict of \$2629.15 on insurance carried by Adams.

The company, as it is known, a short time ago produced affidavits from a man claiming to be Adams and also introduced testimony of acquaintances that they had seen Adams recently in East St. Louis. Adams disappeared in 1915, after leaving a note saying his body would be found in the Meramec River. There were reports of shortages in his books at a local rowing club, and when he came to St. Louis recently, the man said to be Adams did not cross the river.

Judge Killoran, in sustaining the company's motion, said he was convinced Adams was alive and that justice demanded a new trial.

**COMBINATION HAMMERED OFF, NEXT TO POLICE STATION**

The Deane Carton Co., 912 North Market street, is next door to the North Market Street Police Station. There is a street light immediately in front of the office and over the office safe, which is in plain view from outside, is a drop light, which is kept burning at night. All this, however, did not prevent burglar from forcing a rear window last night and hammering off the combination of the safe with the company's own tools. Forty-two dollars was taken.

**Was Federal Employee 80 Years.**

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

LEXINGTON, Ky., March 25.—Capt. S. S. Cole, 88 years old, retired Federal employee, died Monday at his home in Nicholasville, 12 miles south of here. With the exception of his enlistment in the Civil War, he had been employed by the Government for nearly 80 years. After the Civil War he was made superintendent of the Na-

tional Cemetery at Camp Nelson, Ky., a position from which he retired several months ago.

**In Polio-Erie, Miss. Severe Cold.**

By the Associated Press.

**WASHINGTON, March 25.**—Senator Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin, leader of the Republican insurgents in Congress, is confined to his bed with a severe cold. His office today denied reports that he had undergone a surgical operation.

**SPECIAL COAL \$4.00**  
Furnace Lump, \$5.00  
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Does your hat look like the back of a leopard?  
You wouldn't buy a spotted hat . . . Why wear one? A few rubs with Energine—the perfect dry cleaner—will spruce up your hat and make it look brand new.  
Get a can and try it. Only 35¢ at your drug store.

**ENERGINE**

Read today's Want Columns for business openings.

TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1924

**INQUIRY INTO FATAL SCALDING**  
At the request of the Coroner, police are investigating the death Sunday, of George Wright, 3-year-old son of Richard Wright of 2125 Nebraska avenue, who was fatally scalded.

The boy was playing in the basement of his home while Mrs. Wright was washing clothes. When

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Cunliff added that many of the inmates objected to confinement and started fights among themselves. He mentioned that in one instance a 250-pound epileptic fell on another patient and broke his ribs.

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"The Governor's office," he said, "is next in importance to that of the President, and should be surrounded by every possible safeguard. The Republican campaign in 1920 has given the people a lesson they won't forget for a generation. It now develops that the oil interests, in the expectation of acquiring the Texas oil fields and other natural oil reserves of the Government, contributed fabulous sums to elect a Republican President. Where an organization and individual or an interest contributes money in support of a candidate for Governor, if that candidate is elected he naturally is under obligations to repay their favor. Knowing the deep concern of the voters of this country at this particular time in such a matter, I now propose to my opponents that we shall each issue a sworn statement, giving the names of the persons, organizations and interests of our financial backers and contributors so that the people cannot be deceived as to our connections and obligations."

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## Paddock Having Been Restored to Good Standing, His Critics Should Now Sit Down

**Sisler Says Browns' Pitching Staff Need Bow to None in the League; Six Veterans in Shape**

Comeback of Pruitt and Davis, and Fine Condition of Vandiger, Shocker, Danforth and Kolp, Please Manager—In Addition, Four Young Pitchers Are Promising.

By J. Roy Stockton,  
Of the Post-Dispatch Sport Staff.

MOBILE, Ala., March 25.—Unless George Sisler and his players are sadly mistaken the Browns of 1924 will have a pitching staff that will rank with the best in the league, a corps of mound men who will go a long way toward offsetting any weakness that may exist at third base.

The Browns will not be strong at that position. There is no use denying that fact. Harry Rice may come through as a hitter, but he has much to learn before he can stand up among major league third-sackers. And Ellerbe, though a steady and courageous fielder, is not what you would call a devastating batter.

But the pitching staff appears to be going on all cylinders. Perhaps the most important of the staff's strength is to say that six pitchers already are in such good condition that any one could start a game and approximate mid-season form.

Vandiger, Shocker, Danforth, Davis, Pruitt and Kolp are practically ready. Each insists he never was in such excellent condition on a training trip and each has given weight to the statement by work on the hill.

### Vandiger "in Midseason Form."

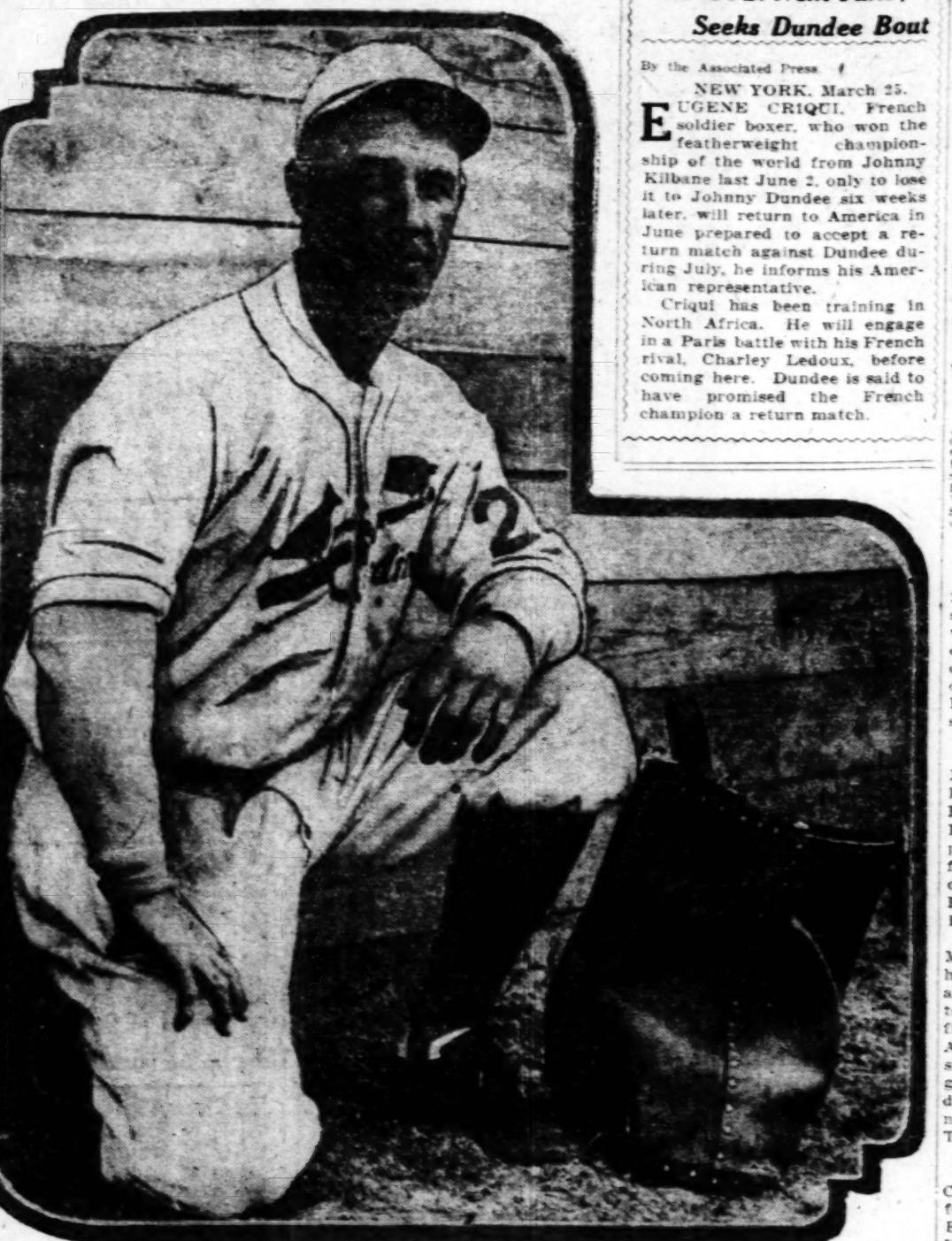
Vandiger pitched in batting practice yesterday, and showed more speed, the catchers said, than he ever had displayed before. His control was good and his hooks were breaking so sharply that the batters wanted to know what was coming so they could have a chance to connect. The Brownie batters are so far behind the pitchers that they are unable to compete on even terms, unless the pitchers signal their curves.

Kolp, Davis, Pruitt, Danforth and Shocker have had a chance in exhibition games and their work has been satisfying. Sisler is so well pleased with his hurlers that he says he has dismissed all the worry about them. He believes that the Browns will be as well fortified in the box as any club in the league.

In addition to the six men who stand out as the mainstays of the staff, there is a group of five that may produce a winner or two. Billy Bayne is more or less on probation. He will be given a chance to deliver and he is working hard. Then there are four youngsters, George Lyons, George Grant, Olen Voigt and Ernest Wingard, who must be considered. As has been

### Still the Cards' Sunday Manager

—Taken by a Staff Photographer at Bradenton.



BERT SHOTTON.

## WRAY'S COLUMN

### It Spells Defeat.

THE withdrawal of Tilden and Richardson because of their newspaper writing and the probable absence of Johnston from the Olympic team's tournament makes the prospect of defeat of the U. S. entries strong.

Unless H. N. Williams regains his best form, which is unlikely, and unless Lindley Murray emerges from near-retirement and works up to championship pitch again, the entry of Anderson and Patterson of Australia, the Alonso brothers of Spain and the strong French team will spell defeat.

Our second string players are far from world-beaters. It appears that the handwriting on the wall is about the only result brought about by barring the writers with flying colors. She defected, and the others of the national team of Buffalo, 5 up and 4 to play.

Mrs. Chapman, Greenwich, Conn., defeated Mrs. John Hydon, Buffalo, 5 up and 2 to play. Mrs. Chapman was 4 up and turned all succeeding holes except the fourteenth were halved. Mrs. Hydon won the fourteenth with a par three.

Another Pascale (N. J.) pair placed among the 18 leaders when B. Sundt and W. Schaffer pulled up, with 432, 416 and 427 for a 1280 count.

C. Herman of St. Louis, with games of 204, 234 and 159, a total of 627, was third in the Mountaineer pin game. G. Sutter, 159, Total, 331, 290, 862, was the only other Mountaineer bowler to better the double century average mark.

St. Louis scores:

DOUBLES  
Herman, 210 164 172 Sutter, 178  
172, 181 Total, 380 326 353—1078.  
C. Herman, 196 150 129 4. Meiss, 179, 178, 161. Total, 373, 331—900.  
S. Sutter, 153, 154, L. Gash, 187, 178, 182. Total, 342, 338, 326, 860.

G. Wedeman, 174, 179, 158, J. Mal-  
ley, 137, 180, 180. Total, 301, 339, 329—  
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P. Koenig, 158, 159, 100, C. Erickson, 151, 166, 156. Total, 309, 328, 256—  
800.

SINGLES  
Herman, 204 160—227  
Sutter, 197 212 183—602  
Wedeman, 174, 179, 158—402  
Malley, 168 180—348  
Badinger, 148 142—255  
Sibb, 153 178 165—466  
Gash, 154 178 150—422

JOHNSON'S PIN GAME  
Johnson, 17, Phillips, 16.  
Dobson, 16, Milwaukee, 2.  
Witteman, 17, Brooklyn, 6.  
Indianapolis, 7, Giant, 2.  
Kokomo, 6, Pittsburgh, 4.

Pittsburgh Lands Title.

CLEVELAND, March 25.—Pittsburgh won the Western group championship of the United States Amateur golfers by defeating Cleveland, 2 to 1, in an eight-hole, sudden death game here last night. The victory gives Pittsburgh the right to play the Boston A. A. for the league championship.

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Jimmy Smith of Milwaukee, former world's champion, made a good start for the all-events honors when he hit 139, 225 and 212 for a 627 total, and finished with the Arcadians of Milwaukee.

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## Movie Work Not To Keep Dempsey From Title Bout

Jack Will Allow Nothing to Interfere With Defense of His Championship.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, March 25.—Before boarding a transcontinental train today for California, where he will sign a so-called million-dollar contract for picture work with his satisfaction and a fountain pen, Jack Kearns assured one and all that nothing would be permitted to interfere with Jack Dempsey's appearance in defense of his title during the outdoor season. The statement was calculated to refute innuendoes that art for art's sake would keep the champion out of the ring this year.

Nothing could be further from the truth, according to Kearns. He said that Dempsey would step out at least one fight against a legitimate contender on or about Labor day, and that the auspices of Tex Rickard at Jersey City or Jim Croft at the Juana would grace the proceedings. He added that the picture contract would preclude Dempsey's appearance in the ring from April to September, this being one of its specific terms.

**Nothing to Do but Make Money.**

"We are really forced into picture work by the nonactivity of Dempsey's opponents," Kearns said. "Jack cut short a profitable tour of the South to return here in case he was wanted. We have received quite offers. Firpo has eliminated himself, if reports about his retirement are true."

"Wills and Gibbons are doing nothing to create a public demand for matches with Dempsey. I can see why either of them would be satisfied to enter an elimination tournament with the winner to meet the champion. Take the case of Wills. If he survived the tournament, public demand would dissipate much of the prejudice against an attempt by him to win the heavyweight title."

"The million-dollar picture offer is legitimate. It came to me in a telegram from Carl Laemmle and gave every assurance that it is bona fide. It will keep the champion out of the ring until late summer, but after that he will be ready for the host matches in sight." It is up to Gibbons, Wills and Firpo to take advantage of the situation and prove which is the logical con-

clusion to the post-dispatch.

**Croft to Meet Kearns.**

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 25.—James W. Croft, president of the Tia Juana Club, San Diego, who is to have a conference here the latter part of this week with Jack Kearns and Jack Dempsey regarding a match for the champion with either Harry Wills or Luis Firpo, has sent a message to Croft's attorney that he and Dempsey would be in San Diego next Sunday and at that time would discuss plans for the proposed fight, as he regards Tia Juana as a good place for battle with either Wills or Firpo.

**Managers Will Confer.**

CHICAGO, March 25.—The proposed picture contract between Tommy Gibbons and Georges Carpenter is scheduled to be closed here today when Floyd Fitzsimmons, the promoter, will meet with Jack Curley, representing the manager of the Vespers, and Eddie Kans, manager of Gibbons. Fitzsimmons plans to hold the contest in his arena at Michigan City, July 4.

**\$150,000 Offered Wills.**

It is believed among booking men here that a September date at Jersey City will be chosen. In speaking of this today, Rickard reaffirmed his statement that he was in the fight for a \$150,000 fee. He said that he will be interested in a match with either Wills or Dempsey. He added that he would not increase his offer of \$150,000 to Wills for that particular attraction.

## Although It Lacks a Scoring Punch, a Soccer Football Team May Still Have Plenty of Kick to It

### River Has Better Scoring Punch Than Vespers, Records of 1924 U. S. Cup Finalists Show

Champions Have Scored 22 Goals in 6 Games While Louisians Counted 24 in 7 Games—Harold Brittan, Center Forward, Fall River's Best Booter.

By Dent McSkimming.

While the goal scoring record of the Vespers in seven cup games is impressive as to give St. Louis fans hope of victory in the national soccer final here, Sunday, the Fall River club also has proved a fine scoring team. In fact, Fall River has scored 22 goals in 6 games, as compared with 24 goals in 7 games for the

team.

There may be an inclination here to doubt the scoring ability of Fall River because the team is composed of British-born players and it is nevertheless true that Fall River leads the American soccer league in games won and goals scored.

It is not at all unusual that the Vespers backs will run as easily as they break up and be Hammarville, or Goodrich, the Bricklayers. Fall River has a real scoring punch.

The Fall River team is now going records of the

FALL RIVER.

First round—Fall River 3, J. A. P. Costs 2.

Second round—Fall River 5, J. A. P. Costs 6.

Third round—Fall River 8, J. A. P. Costs 5.

Fourth round—Fall River 2, J. A. P. Costs 6.

Final—Fall River 2, J. A. P. Costs 1.

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First round—Vespers 1, Ben Franklin 0.

Second round—Vespers 2, Ben Franklin 0.

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Final—Vespers 7, Goodrich 5.

WOMEN'S FINAL—Vespers 5, Bricklayers 6.

Average per game—Vespers 5, Fall River 3.

An interesting fact in this connection is that both the Vespers and Fall River came closest to first place in their first game played. Fall River held to a tie by J. A. P. Costs but won the play-off the following week. The Vespers were held to a 1-0 score by Ben Franklin of the St. Louis professional league.

**Reichert to Meet Kearns.**

COLUMBIA, Mo., March 25.—The University of Missouri Committee on Intercollegiate Athletics has voted not to send a Tiger track team to the Kansas relays at Lawrence April 19. C. L. Biegler, director of athletics announced today.

The committee's decision was reached because of the unusually heavy Missouri schedule, the early date of the Kansas meet, the expense involved and the time that would be lost from school, Mr. Biegler explained.

The Tigers have scheduled three dual meets, the Drake relays, the Missouri Valley Conference championships, and will probably send teams to the Western Conference championships and the Olympic tryouts at Lawrence May 31.

**MAN WITHOUT COUNTRY TO OK HIM ASKS TO COMPETE IN OLYMPICS**

PARIS, March 25.—Prince David Mdwani of the Republic of Georgia, in the Caucasus, has sent to the French Olympic committee his official entry for the javelin and discus events of the Olympic games. He explains that he learned to throw the javelin and discus at the Andover school in Massachusetts, and while he does not claim record performances, he would like to represent his country at an athletic meet in which most of the nations of the world are competing.

As Georgia has no national Olympic committee or national athletic federation, while the general committee of the Olympic games is in a quandary,

the prince, who is a native of England and a member of the Fall River team, has agreed to compete in the games.

Even though he is not a member of a team among five men speaks well for his skillful sniping. The name may be said to be the best for their goals in cup games scored by the following:

Inside left, 5; Bergin, inside, 2; Harris, inside, outside, 4; Corrigan, center, 2; McReight, 3; McCarthy, 1. Another goal was by an opponent in his own

one success.

M. Reichert, secretary of the French Olympic Committee, expects that the lone Rugby match will bring out one of the largest Olympic crowds, second only to those attending the marathon race and the trials of the association football.

**16 QUINTETS ENTER CHICAGO U. TOURNAMENT**

CHICAGO, March 25.—Sixteen high schools, including 15 state champions and the champion of Chicago, are entered in the interscholastic invitation basketball tournament to be held at the University of Chicago April 1 to 5, it was announced yesterday.

They are: Yankton, S. D.; Two Harbors, Minn.; Manchester, N. H.; Medford, Ore.; Lexington, Ky.; Rock Springs, Wyo.; Winslow, Colo.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Milwaukee, Wis.; El Paso, Tex.; Fort Worth, Tex.; Salt Lake City, Utah; Oak Cliff High School, Dallas, Tex.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Lane High School, Chicago. All are state champions except Lane, which is champion of Chicago.

Yankton, S. D.; Windsor, Colo., and Oak Cliff High School, Dallas, Tex., were also champions of their respective states. They won their Kentucky state championship and the tournament at Chicago in 1923.

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## ROBBER IN TWO HOLDUPS FIRES AT FEET OF VICTIMS

**Doctor's Prescription Case Taken in Front of Home, and Apartment Janitor Robbed of \$60 in Alley.**

### AUTO DESCRIPTIONS IN CASES TALLY

**Man Grabs Box Containing \$300 in Hotel Lobby but Bellboy Chases Him and Recovers It.**

A holdup man, who notified his victims that he meant business by firing a shot close to their feet before saying a word, was the leader last night in two of many crimes which caused renewed activity on the part of the police.

As Dr. James W. Allen turned in for home at 424 McPherson avenue at 8:30 o'clock a touring car drew up to the curb. Dr. Allen gave it no heed until a man, who leaped out, sent a revolver bullet at his feet and cried: "The next one gets you if you don't throw up your hands." Searching Dr. Allen hurriedly, the robber took his prescription case, apparently thinking it a pocketbook. Jumped back into the car and was driven west.

Ten minutes later, as William E. Clark, janitor of the Sherwood Apartments at 4515 McPherson, was entering the alley north of that block on Taylor avenue, a touring car stopped. The robber jumped out, fired toward Clark's feet and shouted: "We're just about ready to kill you." Clark surrendered \$60 without resistance. Both he and Dr. Allen told the police the automobile, without tail lights, contained two or three men besides the quick-trigger highwayman.

**Attempt to Steal \$300 in Hotel Lobby Frustrated by Bellboy.**

A bold attempt to snatch \$300 belonging to the American Hotel from a bellboy in the lobby there was frustrated yesterday morning when the bellboy, Edward Thorne, 18, pursued the thief to the street, knocked him down and recovered a tiny sum of the money. Thorne was waiting for Miles McElmurry, 26, of the auditing department, for an elevator to take them upstairs with the money. Miles McElmurry had given him to guard, when a man, who had been lounging in the lobby, strolled over, grabbed the money and ran through a hallway to the alley entrance near the American Theater entrance door.

Thorne pursued him so closely that, as the man reached Market street, just to the south, and about a block from an automobile, waiting with engine running, the bellboy grabbed his coat collar and sent him to the pavement with a blow in the neck. The man dropped the money and got away in the car as Thorne stooped for the box. Police tracing the license number of the machine learned it had been stolen Sunday from a Maplewood resident.

Isaac Lukatch, a collector for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., and Fred Blank, a company inspector, reported they were forced into an automobile by four holdup men in front of 4231 W. Maffitt avenue, at 4 p.m. and robbed and put out two blocks west. From Lukatch was taken \$199 of the company's money and from Blank \$14 of his own.

**Other Crime.** Other persons robbed yesterday were Cleo Janev, proprietor of a rooming house at 1363A Holloman avenue, who lost \$2.50 to a man who struck him down as he was showing the robber a second-floor room, and Samuel Kitchen, who was knocked down with a club by a Negro, who had planned to steal a pair of shoes in Kitchen's shoe store at 826 North Ninth street. The Negro got \$13 from the cash register. These robberies occurred at 3 p.m.

As Mrs. Stella Ingle, 5076 Arlington avenue, entered her kitchen to get breakfast yesterday morning, she surprised a burglar, who hit her with a "billy" and pulled her to the floor by her hair. Her negro husband, her son-in-law, Edmund Ouellette, and the burglar fled, leaving behind a fur coat and silverware he had gathered up.

**Store Held Up 9 A. M.**

Henry Ruedohi, proprietor of a hardware store at 111 Tower Grove avenue, reported that an armed robber forced him to the rear of the store at 9 a.m. today bound and gagged him and took \$10 from the cash register. Ruedohi said he freed himself with a knife after working partly loose from insecure bonds.

Theodore Frileggs was robbed of \$12 by an armed man who held him about 3 o'clock last night in his restaurant at 2345 Chouteau avenue.

The police last night made 212 arrests in an effort to offset an apparent swing back to criminal activity following the end of the recent vigorous "clean-up" campaign.

### DOMINIONS FOR NAVAL BASE With Exception of Sumts, British Premiers Opposed Macdonald.

By the Associated Press.

LONDON, March 25.—The disagreement of the Dominion Premiers regarding the relation of the Singapore naval base project to the 1924 Citizenship Bill, the training camps now being received at headquarters of the 102d Division of the Seventh Corps Area, Old Custom House, and 1880 Missouri youths are expected to take advantage of the offer of a month's intensive military training. It was announced today.

The Seventh Corps Area camps this year will be conducted at Fort Leavenworth and those from north of the river will go to Fort Des Moines.

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The Government will pay for

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in citizenship, civics, health and

other subjects will be given. Training

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ords, and a schedule of organized

athletics under expert coaches is

planned. Army chaplains and host-

esses will be on duty to take care

of the moral and religious welfare

of the boys.

St. Louis headquarters will re-

ceive applications from Missouri

and Arkansas youths. The State

quotas provide for the training of

1600 Missouri youths and 1000 Ar-

kansas youths. The Seventh Corps Area students from south of the Missouri River will go to Fort Leavenworth and those from north of the river will go to Fort Des Moines.

Rex Reed, 100 years old, Otsego, N. Y., came to Michigan in 1841, and was one of the founders of the Anti-Saloon League. On the day he was 100, he preached

his last sermon in the church where he was born.

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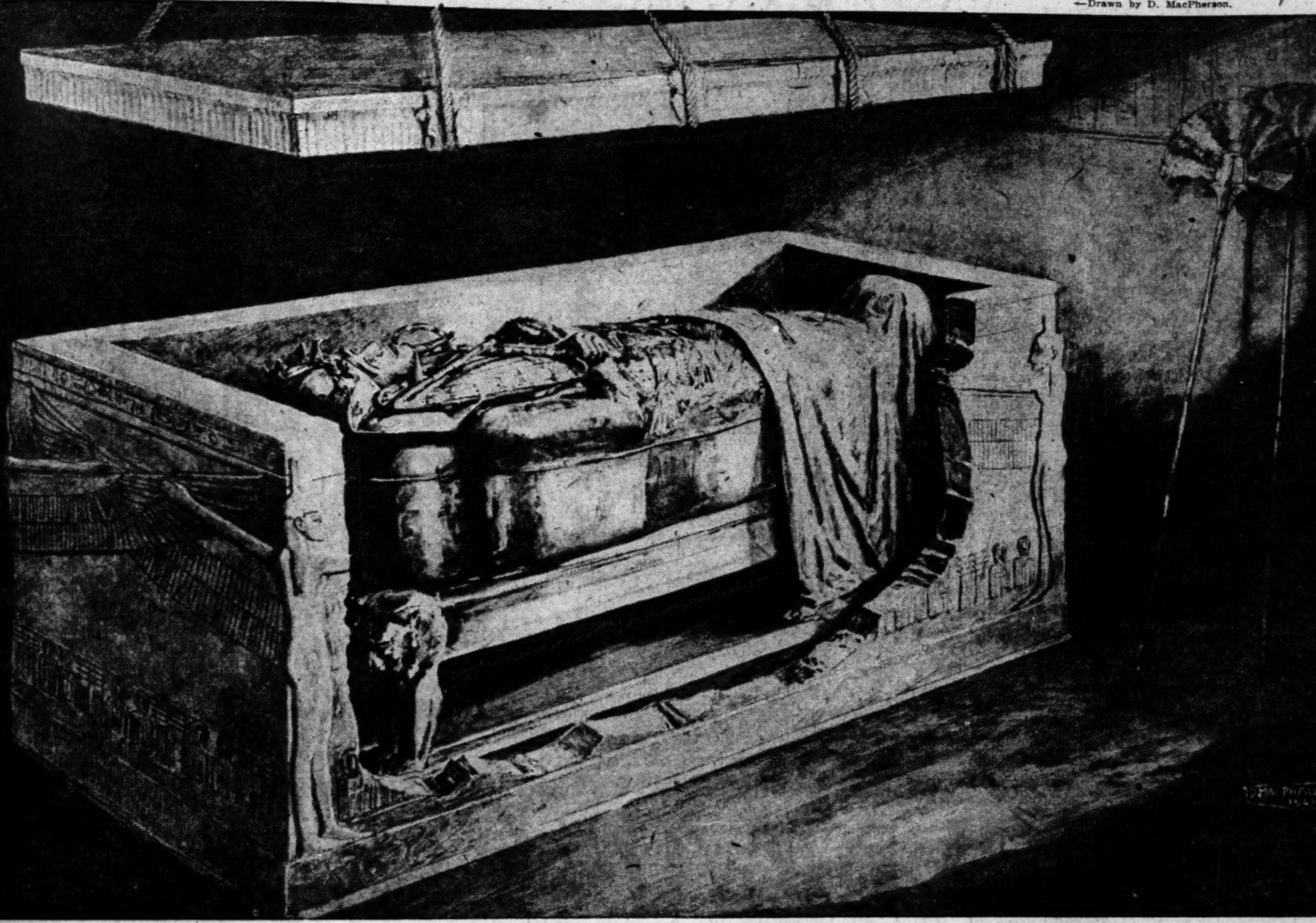
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## The Golden-Faced Coffin of Tutankhamen Revealed After 3200 Years

Enshrinéd in solitary state down the ages—the gold-covered coffin case within its great stone sarcophagus at Luxor (one side partly removed to show interior).

—Drawn by D. MacPherson.



After a period of many months since the breaking down of the wall separating the sepulchral chamber from the rest of the tomb, Howard Carter finally raised the great stone slab of the sarcophagus for a first glance at the wonderful coffin case of the King. The actual raising of the slab on Feb. 12 provided the excavators with a thrill surpassing their expectations. Covering the coffin case was a pall consisting of three thicknesses of a brown material; when this had been rolled back the full beauty of the coffin was revealed. No doubt the main fabric of the coffin is wood, but it is entirely sheeted over with solid gold, and is a most remarkable sight. It fulfills the double purpose of coffin and portrait statue of the Pharaoh, conceived with superb taste. The whole surface of the coffin is in bold relief, and is obviously work of the highest order, for the full sensitive mouth, the small refined nose, are exquisitely modeled. The eyes are set in with semiprecious stones. The whole face, which is three times life-size, conveys an impression of serenity and dignity. The face is typically youthful, and the sovereign is depicted lying in state with his regalia, wearing the golden crown with the hawk-head and serpent encrusted in lapis lazuli about his brow. These are encircled with a chaplet of natural flowers, black and brittle with age. The arms are shown as folded peacefully across the breast, the right hand clasping the crook of the scepter, which is about four feet long, and appears to be of wood, decorated with gold and semiprecious stones. The left hand holds the golden flail, the symbol of power. Beneath the folded arms in the center of the body there is a short lengthwise band of inscriptions introducing the King's cartouches. The coffin is about ten feet long, and appears completely to fill the sarcophagus. The outstanding relief of the head and shoulders gives the figure an appearance of a slight tilt forward.

For 3200 years the mummy and Ka of Tutankhamen have lain in the tomb awaiting the return of the soul (Ba) and Intelligence (Chu), which departed to Osiris on the decease of the King. When these return he will become a complete man once more, so that he may leave the tomb finally to dwell forever in the kingdom of Osiris. The artist in making the above drawing has cut away part of the outer box in order to show the interior.

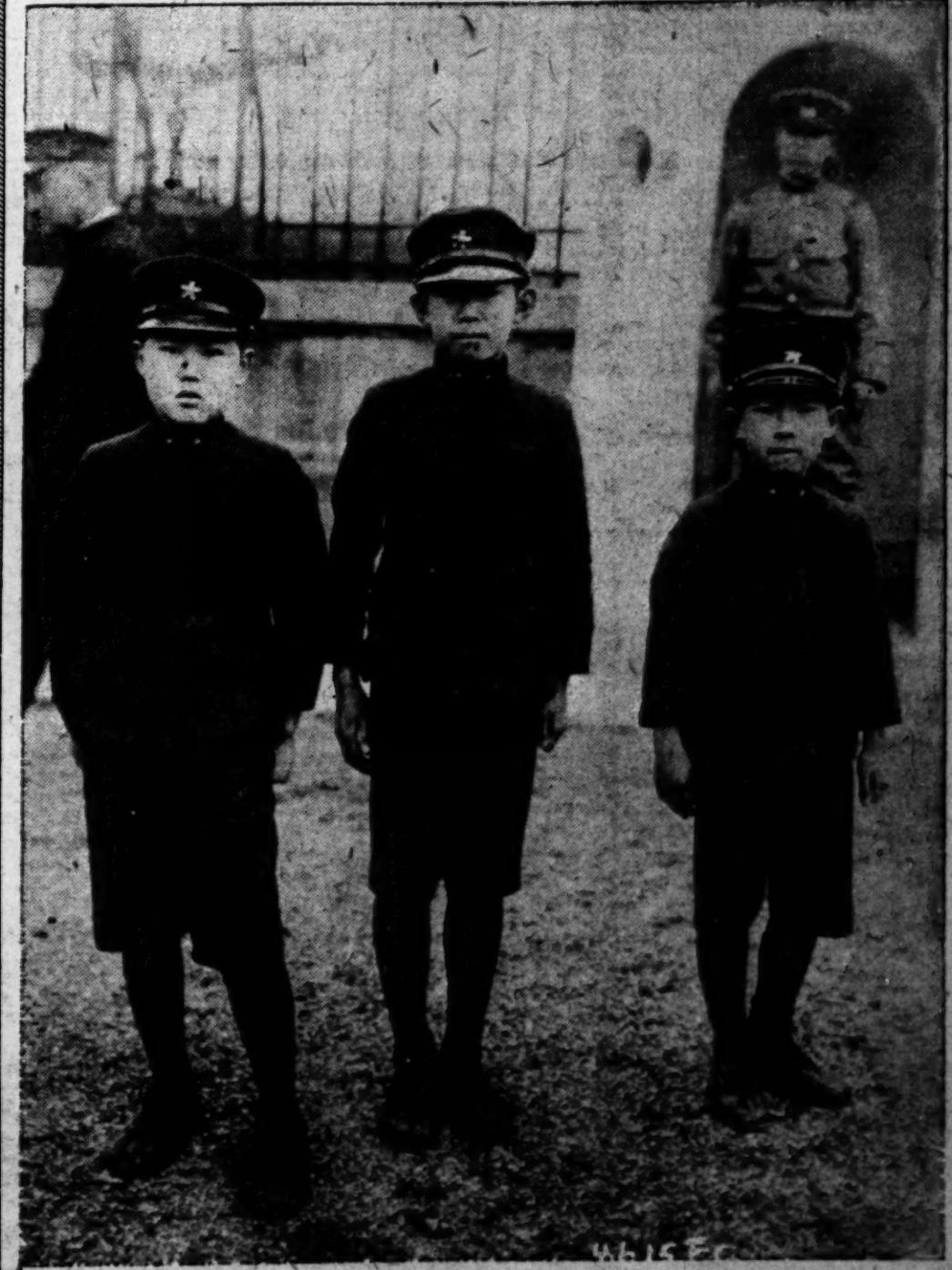
### WHEN A PYTHON GOES ON A HUNGER STRIKE



It takes six able-bodied keepers to hold the monster python while a dressed rabbit is crammed down its gizzard. A hunger strike at the New York Zoological Park is short-lived, for the keepers and curators see to it that all animals and reptiles live a normal and regular life.

—International Newsreel Photo.

### JAPAN'S YOUNGEST PRINCE FELICITATES BIG BROTHER



Prince Takahito, youngest of the four sons of the Mikado (at extreme right), with two of his school chums from the Peers' School, whose uniform they wear, photographed at the palace in Tokyo as they went to bid farewell to his oldest brother, Crown Prince Regent Hirohito, as Hirohito and his bride, Princess Nagako, departed on their honeymoon.

—Underwood & Underwood.

### A RADIO HAT

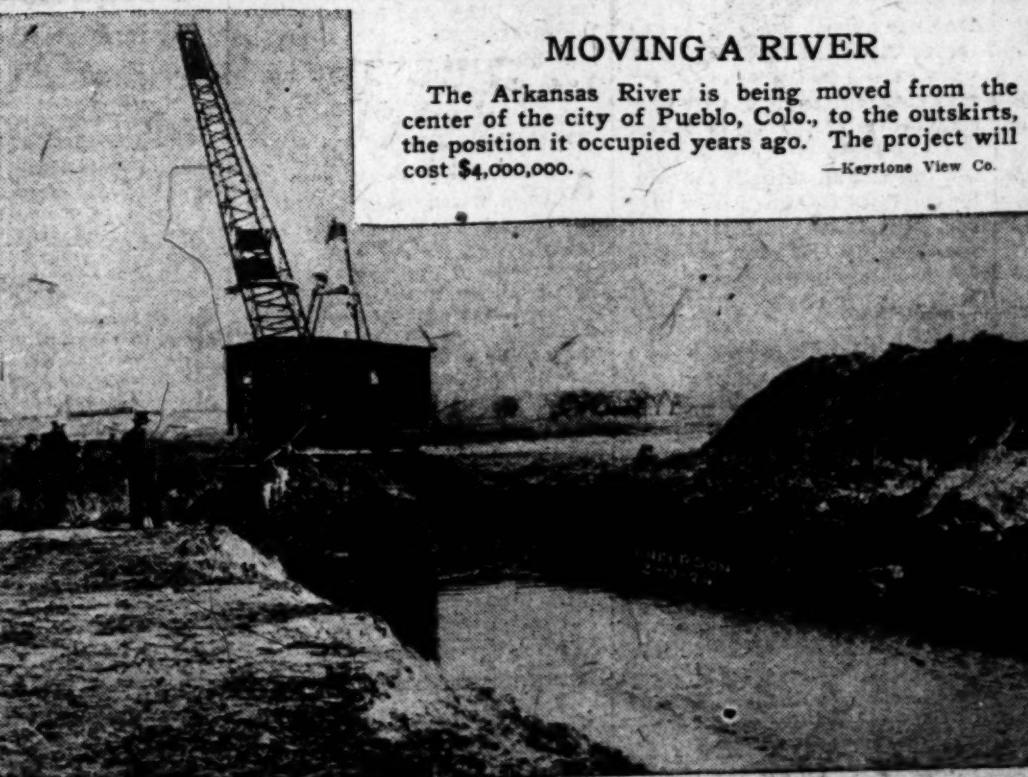
Photo made at the Washington radio show, showing one young man "considering" the purchase of one of the new radio hats.

—Underwood & Underwood.

### MOVING A RIVER

The Arkansas River is being moved from the center of the city of Pueblo, Colo., to the outskirts, the position it occupied years ago. The project will cost \$4,000,000.

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## THE REVELATIONS OF A PAID COMPANION

By JANE PHELPS  
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### CHAPTER XLII.

RUSH MILLBANK DEVOTES HIMSELF TO MOLLIE.

I WAS waiting in the hall when Mr. Ellwood came in. I had been there for an hour. I must see Mollie and Guy before they went to their mother.

"You poor child."

Mr. Ellwood's arm was around me, and I was weeping quietly on his shoulder.

"What a terrible experience for you—poor Barton."

"I shouldn't have allowed him to walk with me," I moaned.

"You mustn't blame yourself, my dear. Barton is at rest, died nobly. Perhaps—we don't know, it saved him sorrow. Have you seen Mrs. Ellwood?"

"Yes—and she doesn't know. I was waiting for Mollie and Guy when you came."

"I'll watch for them. You go and bathe your face and rest. You are trembling—and no wonder. It was a terrible experience for you."

He rested his hand a moment on my hair, then I left him. He was very fond of Barton, would grieve for him, yet had forgotten his own grief to comfort me.

Mollie came to me at once after her father told her, came to demand all the particulars. It was hard but I told her how it happened, that he had saved my life at the expense of his own. But I said nothing to her of my self-blame because I had let him walk with me. Nothing could bring him back, and I felt I could not endure her questions.

It seemed dreadful to bury Barton from a funeral parlor, but it was impossible to bring him to the house without Mrs. Ellwood knowing it. Even though she was now confined to her room, her bed most of the time, her hearing was very keen. The slightest sound disturbed her.

I remained with her while the family saw all that was left of Barton laid away. The papers spoke wonderfully of him, mentioning his achievements, his popularity. I have that clipping yet, yellow with age, and when I look at it I seem to hear Barton say:

"I love you, Rita—but—it is too late."

Mrs. Ellwood was told that Barton had gone away, would be gone a long time. She expressed wonder that he had not called to bid her goodbye, and it was I who told her the untruth—one I knew would be forgiven.

"You were asleep and we wouldn't disturb you," I explained.

"And he's such a poor correspondent," she said with a smile.

"He will send a post card perhaps, or some lovely, quaint gift; but a letter—it is too much to expect of him."

I told the rest of the family, including the nurse, what I had said to her, and we formed a little conspiracy to keep up the fiction, all knowing, fearing it would not be long before she joined him.

Rush Millbank approved heartily, and was more like himself with me in the following weeks.

"He is sorry for me, for my terrible experience," I thought. And in spite of myself I resented the thought that it was always pity for me that actuated him. But I was weak and nervous from the shock, and didn't reason very clearly.

He had grown more devoted to Mollie, had been very attentive since the trouble. For a time she was quieter, she too shocked by the terrible accident to the cousin who had always been a good pal to her. But she was naturally buoyant, and her gay spirit could not long be controlled.

I became aware that Rush Millbank was intensely jealous of her. Larry Ward and others were often with her, and try as he probably did, not to show it, Rush was often distract, almost moody, after Mollie had been out with them. As was her way she laughed at him, going further than she would had he not allowed her to see his jealousy.

"What is wrong with Doctor Millbank?" Mrs. Ellwood asked me. I heard him upbraiding Mollie in the hall, had heard her gay laughing reply.

"He didn't seem like himself this afternoon."

I made an evasive reply.

"Have he and Mollie quarreled?" she asked.

"No, I don't think so."

"Do you think he cares for my girl, Rita?"

"Yes, I think he does."

His jealousy had made me sure. He was in love with Mollie. Why else would he be jealous?

"He seems to be fond of you too, Rita. Perhaps I am wrong in talking of him and—Mollie to you."

"He's only sorry for me, my ignorance, thinks me lonely because I do not join in the pleasures of others. But I'm not. I am happy and contented with you."

But even as I spoke I felt a resentment. Mollie had so much she had taken him.

(Continued in the Post-Dispatch.)

## HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

### Famous Women

Elizabeth Christina

CLEMENCE ISSURE was a lady of Toulouse, France, celebrated for her learning. She instituted the Jeux Florae, or Floral Games, in the city, where prizes were bestowed on successful political competitors. She was born in 1464.

In 1464 when she was a young girl her life began. Near her garden dwelt Raoul, a young troubadour, who fell in love with her, and sang songs to her in which their names were linked. She replied with flowers whose meaning Raoul could easily interpret. He was the son of Count Raymond of Toulouse and followed his father's example against the Emperor Maximilian. Both were killed in the Battle of Olmedo.

Clemence resolved to take the veil. Before doing so, however, she renewed the poetic festival and as prizes distributed among the victors the five different flowers, wrought in gold and silver, with which she had replied to her lover. The Floral Games were continued for 200 years after her death.

Always pour medicaments from the side of the bottle opposite to that on which the directions are printed. Then there will be no difficulty in reading the label in case of renewal.

Will Save You Money. A small calendar and pencil kept near the telephone and a line made for the call on the day it was used, will do away with arguments and errors in the bill at the end of the month.

Marks From Greasy Fingers. In these days of white kitchens it is wise to wash off soiled finger marks as we clean each day. Otherwise they accumulate rapidly and soon are difficult to remove without injury to the paint.

## THE RHYMING OPTIMIST ..

By Aline Michaelis

### Stepping Stones.

ACH day is but a colored stone; some dark, some bright; each has a motif of its own—despair, delight. And no two days are quite the same the long years through, none quite alike in hope or aim, in point of view. We cannot ever understand when darkness comes, why we have waited and hoped we planned seen wholly gone. But all in vain we question why the clouds hang low, and vainly we rebel and sigh till dark days go.

In scattered mass we see them lie, the gleaming bits, with no design to please the eye, no shape that fits. A hopeless puzzle, jumbled there as years slip by, and through long struggle, toll and care no aid comes nigh. But, strangely, toward our sojourn's end and life's decline, we learn at last to comprehend the deep design. We see the days in order placed since life began, and think the long years through, we have traveled the path of life, the trials of life, the plan. Bright days and bright, dark days bring, they flower there into a pattern wholly right, and wholly fair; into a scheme of beauty's own that charms the eye, sweeter than dreams that we had known in times gone by. At last we see why shadows came and how their gloom made joy by contrast brighter flame in sudden bloom. We see the reason for our pain, the cause for tears; what once seemed loss we know for gain with passing years. A heap of colored stones, the days—your years and mine; but see! A hand unfaltering lays the fair design.

EGGS MORNAY STYLE. Roll six eggs hard. Butter a shallow baking-dish, slice the eggs in medium slices and lay them on the dish. Dust them with pepper and salt, grate a little nutmeg over them and cover them with cream sauce to which an ounce of grated cheese has been added. Sprinkle the eggs with a little more grated cheese and dot them with a little butter. Bake the eggs in the oven until they are delicately browned. EGGS IN TOMATO SAUCE.

Boil six eggs hard. Peel them, halve them lengthwise and remove and devil the yolks. Refill the whites and lay two halves on each toast round, flat sides down, after spreading the rounds very lightly with anchovy paste. Make a good rich, well-seasoned, smooth tomato sauce and pour it over the eggs. This makes an excellent luncheon dish served with baked potatoes and biscuits.

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## -0- Children's Bedtime Story -0-

By Thornton W. Burgess

### The Rights of Feathered Folk

*The right to live belongs to all—The great and strong, the weak and small.*

—Mrs. Quack.

THESE two-legged creatures called men are queer," said Mrs. Quack.

"Most of them are," agreed Peter Rabbit.

"All of them are," declared Mr. Quack. "They seem to think that no one has any right but themselves."

"I guess you don't know Farmer Brown's Boy," said Peter. "He never forgets the rights of the rest of us."

"Then he's very different from the rest of these two-legged creatures," declared Mrs. Quack in a very decided tone. "First, they try to kill us with dreadful guns. Not satisfied with that, they destroy our food supply, and do not seem to care how many of us die. We feather folk have some rights. Yes, sir, we have some rights. We have the right to live at least. If we didn't, Mother Nature would never have put us into the Great World. But a lot of these two-legged creatures seem to think we haven't any rights at all."

"If they go on draining the marshes and lakes and swamps at the rate they have been doing it the time is coming, and coming soon, when there will be no water birds left. If we Ducks could stay up in the Far North where we spend our summers it would be all right. But we can't stay there. We have to spend the winters where there is no ice, for where there is ice we cannot get food. We have to do it. It isn't because we want to do it, but because we must do it. And now these two-legged creatures are taking away feeding grounds by taking away all the water."

"And we Ducks and other water birds are not the only ones who are suffering. When Red Wing the Blackbird gets here again what kind of a winter he spent. He'll tell you the same thing. Ask



H. C. ANDREWS

"I guess you don't know Farmer Brown's Boy," said Peter.

thing is happening in some Northern places, especially in the West, where water birds have made their summer homes and nested since the beginning of things. Down there in the Sunny South I heard dreadful stories of lakes and marshes where always thousands and thousands of birds have made their homes, which these two-legged creatures have drained, so that not a nesting place is left. And now that the water, which the birds needed, has been taken away, there is left just great masses of land on which nothing will grow. It serves the selfish two-legged creatures right, but that doesn't help the feathered folk any.

"Well, what's the use of talking about it? There is nothing we can do about it. I'm afraid the day is coming when there will be no more Ducks and few other water birds. We cannot fight for our rights, and there's no one else to do it for us."

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TRIMMING FROM CHINTZ.

A WHITE linen frock seen at Palm Beach recently had an odd trimming that was unlike anything else far as appearances went. Now it happened that a young man who was not of average tonsure, who was not of average mind, and who was not so endowed, the only thing to do is to investigate.

"It would be different if man really needed these places. But man doesn't. I know. Mr. Quack and I fly over great stretches of land which man might use and isn't using, and which is of no use to us feather folk. He doesn't need those marshes and swamps and the land under the water of those ponds and lakes. He doesn't need those places at all, and we do. They are ours rightfully. Old Mother Nature gave them to us. I thought that when hunters stopped shooting at us on our way north in the spring things were going to be better for us. But the taking away of our winter homes is many times worse than the shooting in the spring.

"I have heard that the same

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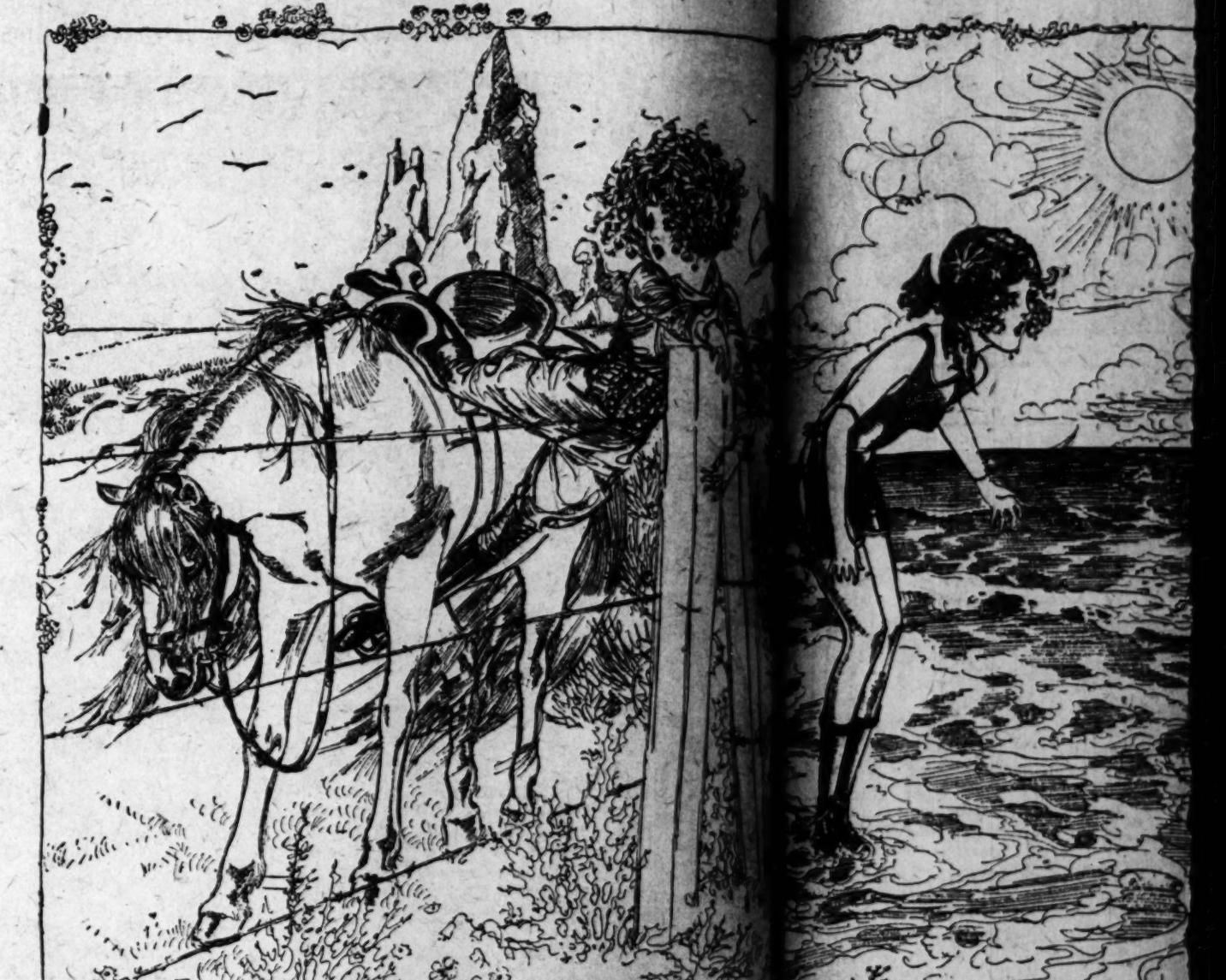
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## East Is East and West Is West

Never the Twain Shall Meet

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W HEN young Miss New York—that branch of the feminines N. Y. who had never even seen a cow—there are such, you know—let alone been UP on a high horse—went West to a certain ranch in Colorado, in kindness they gave her the tamest, whitest, fattest carriage horse on the place—the only horse that WOULD allow a rig to come along behind him. But Miss N. Y., after disfiguring herself in a silk "neckerchief" and boots and starting gayly forth, once out of sight of the ranch house, in deadly fear, guided her kind old mount up to a fence post, and proceeded to fall and climb off, down to earth and safety!!!

## Do You Sell Gloom?

By RUTH LEIGH

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I WENT into a shoe store for a pair of oxfords. The salesman greeted me.

"Terrible weather, isn't it?" he remarked, gloomily seating himself in his little stool.

The place was crowded and warm. "Oh, they got no more idea of ventilation in this place," he groaned, thumping his foot to answer to my comment.

He couldn't find my size. Came back, red of face, and gloomy. "It's a bad time of year," he told me. "Our new spring stocks haven't come in yet, and what we have left isn't complete in size."

My spirits were dropping more and more. However, I managed to switch my interest to another style, and after examining the shoe, commented on what I considered poor workmanship.

"Oh, these factories today. They don't put the leather and the workmanship in goods they used to."

He shrugged helplessly.

By this time, I felt an inclination to commiserate with him. He made me feel worse and worse. In fact, I decided that perhaps it might not be wise to buy the oxford.

He turned to me and said, "I only let you see it. It may be the way you feel today that makes you gloomy but tomorrow may be a more cheerful day, so why let today's mood oppress you?"

There are ways to combat gloom.

But there are ways to cultivate the heart and soul.

As I left the store I said to myself,

"That salesman is not selling gloom, he is selling pure, unadulterated gloom."

Now I didn't come in the store to buy the blues. I have enough troubles of my own without having that salesman force his on me. But he did what so many folks are doing in business today—they're carrying around a grump and are giving away portions to everyone, whether they are asked or not.

Whether you sell in a store, girls, or work in an office, remember that there's enough gloom in this world without your adding any more to it. Don't carry your troubles to business. Forget them when you enter your job. The most important is to fill our jobs with all our energies, without detracting from them by using energy to spread gloom.

Cheer up. There's a funny side to almost anything—if you will only let yourself see it. It may be the way you feel today that makes you gloomy but tomorrow may be a more cheerful day, so why let today's mood oppress you?

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## WINIFRED BLACK —Warns About— The Danger Menacing Flowers

WHILE wild storms sweep the hills and valleys and the forests are bare of green except where the pines and their evergreen brethren grow, voices are being raised for the protection of the flowers which make a paradise of earth when the winter cold is over.

The automobile, delightful agency of pleasure, as well as source of profit, threatens the flowers of the wild woods and the fields. And it is said, unless a real fervor and enthusiasm can be raised in their favor, we must soon bid farewell to the most lovely creations upon which our eyes may rest.

In summer, crowds of people, carried into every corner of the hills and dales, of the mountains and the meadows, rifle the wild fruit trees of their blossoms and the ground of the wild flowers which have since time began delighted the eyes and the heart.

### Preserve Them for Future.

This is something that the law alone cannot take care of. Nothing but the love of flowers and shrubs, nothing but the care of them by those who really delight in the wild flowers, can save them from destruction. There is no valley so far, no mountain top so remote that the automobile does not go there.

Each flower lover should begin now and raise as much interest in the flowers as can be imagined, and perhaps by thousands of small societies of flower lovers scattered all over the country, there may be something done to preserve these darlings of Nature.

In some parts of the country are already formed societies of Nature lovers who seek to save the trees and birds and small animals as well as the shrubs and flowers which make such a delightful feature of the landscape, the hills and the valleys.

Most of all, reliance must be placed on the real flower lovers. They should learn to stay their own hands when in the forest or the fields, and pick only a few of the blossoms, leaving enough to give a chance for the time to come.

### Discourage Mutilation.

The mutilation of wild shrubs for their blossoms should be sternly discouraged. These shrubs can only be saved by the holding of the hands from them for whatever reason. It is a thoughtless savage who destroys the beauty it feigns to adore. There is no real love in that which destroys.

If every girl and boy, if every man and woman driving an automobile, would form a fixed resolve to care for the wild flowers which come with next Summer and all the Springs and Summers to follow, that would be the life promise for the wild blossoms we so much adore.

What can be better than to help in the saving for the world of so much beauty and grace?

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WINIFRED BLACK

There develops a sense of physical well-being.

But to accomplish this it is not necessary to give wine or a drug, as Mr. Monroe so aptly said, "a little flattery will support man throughout his fatigue."

These pleasant words of a flattery may excite the heart, set the pulse to beating, and remove symptoms of fatigue.

The mind has a recognized control over the bodily functions. It is the statement of a medical and physiological fact.

Why does a doctor prescribe stimulant? It is to arouse the body, including the heart, to a flagging heart.

What drug is given? Strichnina, alcohol, coffee, tea, etc.

These words are like medicine.

It stimulates the functions and makes it easier to bear the fatigue.

But there are other ways to stimulate the heart than drugs.

Happiness, excitement, pleasure, all of these are stimulating as well as stimulating as wine.

There's a funny side to it. It may be a thrill today that makes you forget tomorrow. But let's do it day, so why let tomorrow press you?

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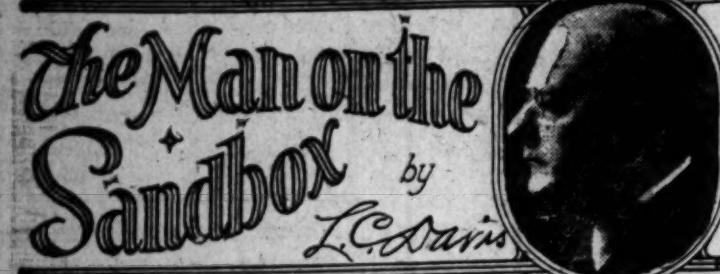
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ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH



VERY TRUE.  
LITTLE hints of grafting,  
Little drops of oil,  
Mixed with innuendo  
Make the teapot boil.

HIGHLAND.  
In Highland, Ill., the rents are  
low.  
The landlords don't grab all your  
dough;  
You save enough to buy a car  
Or ride in on the Penn. R. R.

Ergo, I'd rather live in Highland  
Where I can say, "This home my  
land."  
Where landlords will not rob their  
neighbors  
Out of the product of their labors.

J. O. S.  
THANK you for your neat ef-  
fus-

And if you'll pardon the intrusion,  
I'd like to also call it my land  
Where rents are not so high in  
Highland.

SHOCKING.  
Generator: Is Volt at ohm?  
Dynamo: Watt? —Judge.

Under the circumstances do you  
think electrocution would be ade-  
quate?

These current jokes should be  
put under ground. They're getting  
worse all the time.

The State Highway Commission  
is urging a tax of two cents a gal-

lon on gasoline. That ought to get  
a backfire out of the consumer.

THE OZARKS.  
I'D RATHER stay in Montgomery  
City.  
Penning this petty, inane ditty,  
For I can hear the jays and larks  
As well here as in the Ozarks.

T. R.  
Old top, with you we'd like to share  
That justly famous Ozark air;  
We crave your ozone fresh and salty  
If you will split it fifty-fifty.

THE REAL THING.  
See where John D. Rockefeller  
sunk a 21-foot putt. He was more  
ticked than if he had sunk a 2100-  
foot oil well.

Bet there's some caddy richer by  
a nickel tonight.

Riding seems to be the Prince of  
Wales' hobby. Maybe he would do  
better on a hobby horse.

The man on the sandbox says the  
longer he lives in this glorious  
country where first-degree murder  
is considered a misdemeanor or  
maybe disturbing the peace, the  
more respect he has for Willie  
Wallace Astor. And if this be  
treason, make the most of it.

HYMN OF LOVE.  
A GUY I love

Is good old Tex;  
He gave me neither  
Cash nor checks.

H. L. D.

They do say that the Govern-  
ment officials in Washington are  
so timid that they won't even use  
olive oil on their salad for fear of  
the backfire.

## EVERY DAY MOVIES



Mae: "Would you call them the cream of society."  
Tom: "Well, they've both been thru the separator."

## FAVORITE STORIES

By Irvin S. Cobb.

WHEN TWO GREAT MEN MET.  
SOONLY after Raymond Hitchcock made his first hit, Eddie Foy, who was also playing in New York, chanced to be passing Daly's theater, and stopped to look at the pictures of Hitchcock that adorned the entrance. Near the pictures was a billboard covered with friendly extracts from newspaper criticisms.

When Foy had read to the bottom of the list, he turned to an unobtrusive young man who had been lounging in the doorway, watching him out of the tail of one eye.

"Say, have you seen this new show?" he demanded.

"Sure," replied the young man.

"Any good? And how's this young fellow Hitchcock?"

"Any good?" repeated the young man pityingly. "Why, say, he's the best in the business. He's got all these other comedians lashed to the mast. He's a scream."

"Is he as good as Foy?" ventured that gentleman hopefully.

"As good as Foy!" The young man's scorn was tremendous.

"Why, say, Hitchcock has Foy looking like a funeral. They're not

in the same class. Hitchcock is a real star. I'm sorry you asked me, but I feel so strongly about it I must tell you the truth."

The older man looked at him very sternly and then, in hollow

tones, he said:

"I am Foy."

"I know it," said the young man cheerfully. "I'm Hitchcock!"

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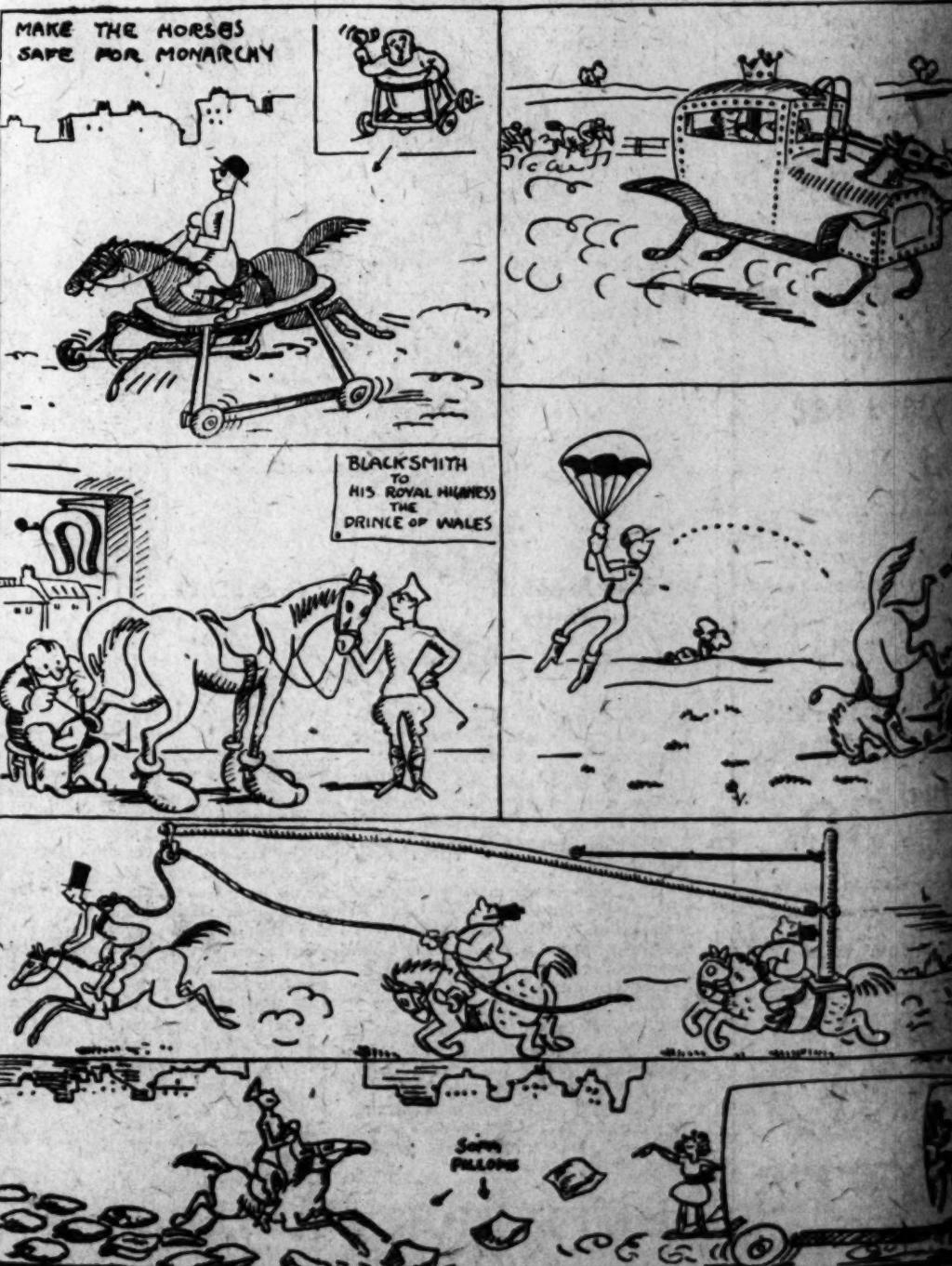


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## JURY TO ASK ABOUT BEER 'PROTECTION' AT CAPITAL

Three Men From Jefferson  
City Summoned Before  
Federal Grand Jury —  
One Has Asserted State  
Official Made Him "Of-  
fer" on Brewing Product.

### GANGSTER POLITICIAN ALSO MENTIONED

Said to Have Personally  
Supervised Delivery of  
"Real Stuff" for Sale in  
Shadow of the Capitol.

Three witnesses from Jefferson  
City, summoned to appear today  
before the Federal grand jury here,  
are expected to tell of the sale of  
"protected" beer last summer un-  
der the shadow of the State Cap-  
itol. One of them has said he  
received a proposal from a State  
official, relative to protection of  
the shipping of beer from St. Louis  
to Jefferson City and its sale there.

The others have said that they  
sold "protected" beer, but that  
their dealings were with a St. Louis  
politician and gang leader, and  
that they heard only indirectly of  
the State official as figuring in the  
matter. They said the beer was  
sold from the Griswold brewery in  
St. Louis, which is the focal point of the present investi-  
gation.

The grand jury's inquiry follows  
the confession of Raymond H.  
Griesdeck, vice president and  
manager of the brewery of that  
name, to the effect that he paid  
\$15,000 for protection of the real  
beer made by the brewery and sold  
over a period of several months,  
with one interruption.

Former Saloon Man's Story.  
Joseph Kremer, Jefferson City  
automobile dealer and former sa-  
looneer, one of the witnesses  
summoned for today, told his story  
to a Post-Dispatch reporter in Je-  
fferson City, a few days ago, re-  
sulting in his being summoned as  
a grand jury witness.

Kremer said that last May, a  
State official proposed to him that  
he undertake the distribution of  
Griesdeck beer in Jefferson City,  
offering to sell Kremer the beer in  
carload lots at \$6.25 a case, and  
paying that the price included \$1  
each to him for protection.

Kremer, who was then in the sa-  
loone business, said he took the pro-  
posal under advisement and that  
he went to George Robben and  
Edward Morgan, who were in the  
saloon business in Jefferson City,  
and who are also summoned as  
witnesses for today.

Robben and Morgan told Kre-  
mer that they were already getting  
Griesdeck beer from the St. Louis  
automobile and Gangster at \$4.50  
a case and did not see why they  
should pay the other man \$6.25;  
but that they would give an order  
that price rather than to incur  
the danger of a raid.

Quiet Saloon Business.  
Kremer, however, decided not to  
go into the proposed deal. He said  
the State official later telephoned  
him several times, urging him to  
take up the proposition, but that  
he refused. He subsequently quit  
the saloon business, and has been  
in automobile line since last  
Year's.

Robben, who is still in the saloon  
business in Jefferson City, and  
Morgan, who was formerly Rob-  
ben's partner, confirmed Kremer's  
statement that he talked with  
one of the proposals which he  
had with the State official made to  
him, but which he withdrew from the  
matter, not go beyond the stage of  
negotiations.

Robben told of his dealings with  
the St. Louis gangster politician  
Morgan and bought beer by the  
barrel from him at \$4.50 a case,  
"uncovered," Robben said. "We  
had two carloads, about 1600  
cases, in May, June and July of  
this year."

The St. Louis politician with  
whom we dealt would come here  
and personally supervise the un-  
loading and delivery of the beer,  
told me that he wanted nothing to  
do with the beer was protected  
on the basis of \$1 a case. I did not  
tell him who was getting the

agents drunk beer."

"When my place was at 622 West  
Main street, last summer, the police  
enforcement agents would

be

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## Spring Clean-Up Help

GET THE BEST  
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By consulting the Business Cards column  
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